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CHINESE MORALE REMAINS HIGH

Shanghai, 2 p.m. To-day.

North Szechuen Road in the vicinity of Haskell Road was the scene of violent fighting this morning when Japanese marines were ordered to take the Shanghai Printing Press, from which Chinese troops have been inflicting serious casualties recently.

As a result of hand to hand fighting which raged for several hours, the Thomas Hanbury School grounds were covered with bodies of Chinese and Japanese slain.

There is also fierce fighting in the region of the Commercial Press.

The situation on the Lotien-Liuhang line remains somewhat obscure, but it is evident that the Chinese withdrawal is not of any great extent and that the general line of the Chinese defence remains unbroken.

The Japanese claimed this morning the capture of Liuchowhang and stated that they were on the outskirts of Tashang. This menace to the flanks of the troops in the Kiangwan sector has led to an extension of the scope of the engagement, which is now raging all along the line from Lotien to Kiangwan.

A foreign correspondent, returning from a tour behind the Chinese lines, states that the morale of the Chinese forces is extremely high.

ADMIRAL AND COAST BLOCKADE

Shanghai, 1:30 p.m. To-day. Vice-Admiral Hasegawa, commander of the Japanese Third Fleet, stated to-day that it is the intention of the Japanese Navy to destroy all forts and armed vessels that may interfere with the Japanese blockade of the China coast. Our Own Correspondent.

Their big guns firing from Kiating and Kwangfu are raining shells on the Japanese positions at a remarkable speed and it is interesting to note that they have been employing a scouting plane to spot for them. The correspondent says that from Kiating hundreds of tons of shells were poured into the Japanese lines in the space of an hour or two.

KIANGWAN POSITION

The positions at Kiangwan remain much the same, though the Chinese front line appears to be nearly two miles in advance of the point to which they were driven a fortnight ago.

Severe fighting is going on in this sector.—Our Own Correspondent.

MANCHURIA UNREST RUMOURS

Peiping, To-day. It is reliably reported that General Honjo, who will be remembered for activities in Manchuria during the 1932 hostilities, arrived at Hsinking yesterday afternoon and consulted with Pu Yi, the "Emperor" of Manchukuo.

It is understood that the visit is connected with the rumours of unrest in the Manchukuoan Army, plus suspicion of Soviet military activity along the borders which has been reported to the War Office.

General Honjo is planning to make a flying tour of the border defences. — Our Own Correspondent.

TYPHOON
EXPECTED AT
ABOUT 8 P.M.
GALE WIND LIKELY
MUCH EARLIER

The typhoon is expected to strike the coast in close proximity to Hong Kong at about eight o'clock this evening.

Winds of gale force are, however, expected to be experienced in the Colony within two or three hours, that is round about 5 p.m.

This afternoon, the position of the typhoon was approximately 100 miles E.S.E. of the Colony. It was then making for the Colony. Its (Continued on Page 24)



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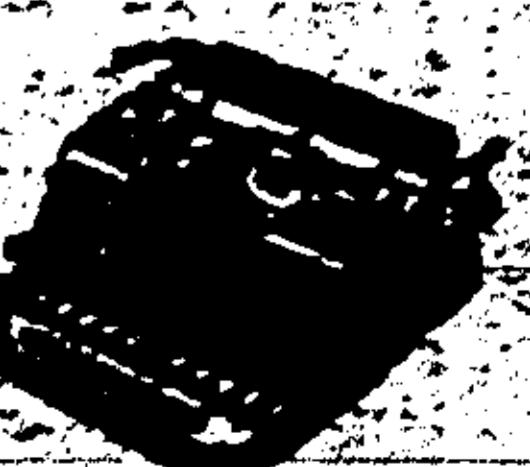
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WHITE WINS HANDS DOWN

As there anything more refreshing than cool, clear white? In town on the hottest day, for any sport, for dancing on the warmest summer evening, white wins hands down. Not only white for dresses and suits, but for all accessories, worn with white, with pastels and with dark colours.

The only disadvantage white has for practical wear is that it soils so easily. It is therefore necessary to get washing materials wherever possible. This season this should not be difficult. The newest fabric is shark-skin; this comes in a flat dead white, it does not crush very much, launders beautifully and hangs well — it is suitable for day and evening dresses, suits, jackets and coats. Then there are white crepes both heavy and light, use these only for good white frocks and evening gowns, as they will have to be cleaned. There they will have to be cleaned. There are china silks that wash and a huge range of white cottons — piques and linens for day; muslins, organdies, net and other sheer cottons for night.

A white tailored suit is a useful item in a summer wardrobe. Made of shark-skin or heavy uncrushable linen it is suitable for town, holiday and sports wear. The skirt should be straight, with pleats, the jacket fitted to the waist, with or without a belt, with lapels or doing up the centre front; with long or short sleeves. With this suit you can wear a big white hat and white court shoes or a sports hat and sports shoes. Blouses can be varied; they can be pastel, bright, dark or printed. They are usually high necked and short sleeved with pleated fronts if they are tailored and Shirred or draped if they are feminine. Smart combinations with white would be — shirt blouses of yellow, tan, coral, raspberry, royal-blue or navy crepe.

Spotted Pique

A blouse of navy-and-white spotted pique red-and-white figured handkerchief linen, navy-and-white printed crepe-de-chine, green-and-white cotton. A blouse of gaily-striped seersucker or striped muslin. A blouse in any pastel shade — blue, pink, green, or yellow.

White, of course, is the accepted colour for tennis frocks. If you like playing in a backless dress, have a little coloured short sleeved jacket to wear over the dress when you want it for another occasion. There are many of these backless frocks this summer; the neck can be high in front or cut in a low square, the back can be naked to the waist; they are made of silk or cotton — the latter can be worn on the beaches, too; with little waist-length jackets they can go anywhere. The jacket can be white if you like, then you can have a coloured belt on the dress, or have a printed jacket — cotton or silk, or a jacket in a solid colour. White dress — bright green, coral, yellow, tan, navy, raspberry, pale pink or blue jacket. The jacket with short sleeves and hanging loose to the waist or just below. Jacket of navy-and-white print, crepe-de-chine or cotton, royal-blue and white print linen, red-and-white spotted pique, tan-and-white print, green-and-white print — these over a white dress, the silk jackets over silk or crepe frocks, the cotton jackets over cotton frocks.

There are two other kinds of white dresses. The first is of cotton or washing silk and is made on plain lines — short sleeves, high neck, short pleated or gored skirt, trimmings confined to pockets, yokes, buttons, belts and scarves. This dress is semi-tailored and can be worn at the seaside, in town, for sports, for week-ends, in fact anywhere where you are not expected to look "dressy." For luncheons, bridge parties and suchlike occasions there are white frocks in entirely different styles. These are

made of soft mill crepes, romaine or white sheer. Sleeves are three-quarter or long and draped about the upper arm, necklines high or low, bodices swathed, draped, folded and Shirred. Skirts are slightly longer, sometimes pleated all round, often circular, otherwise gored or panelled. Faggotting, drawn thread work, hand-made tucks and Shirring are the trimmings seen. Wear with these big white hats and other white accessories, or coloured accessories — pale blue hat and gloves, navy hat and belt, dark brown hat and shoes.

Pale pink hat and pink flowers, white shoes and bag.

White Jackets

Little white jackets are very smart over dark frocks — and so are loose finger-tip length white jackets. The short jackets can be of cotton and either fitted or loose and about hipbone length — the longer jackets are usually of pique or linen, and dead white. Wear them over black crepe or black linen frocks, over navy crepe or linen, over dark brown, over tan, red blue, yellow, pink, green or grey.

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12.30 p.m.—Debroy Somers Band.
Lucky Break—Selection (Archer & O'Keefe).
Shipmates O' Mine—Descriptive Ballad (Sanderson, Lockton & O'Reilly).
Irving Berlin Waltz Songs (Berlin).
12.50 p.m.—Three Songs by Webster Booth (Tenor).
My Love And I.
Sweet Melody Of Night (Film "Give us this Night").
I'll Wait For You (May & Fenn).
1 p.m.—Local Time Signal and Weather Report.
1.03 p.m.—Hungarian Orchestra.
Bihari's Lament (Bihari).
Cockchafer, Yellow Cockchafer.
The Last Drops—Waltz (Kratz).
Magyari Imre & His Hungarian Gypsy Orchestra.
1.13 p.m.—Barabbas Von Gezzy & His Orchestra.
Poem (Fibich).
Malaga (Rinner).
Puszta (Mihaly).
Forget It And Smile (Bohmelt).
Hindu Song ("Sadko"—Rimsky-Korsakov).
Valse Triste (Sibelius).
1.30 p.m.—Reuter and Rugby Press: Local Weather Forecast and Announcements.
1.40 p.m.—New Variety Records.
Orchestral—Puerta De Tierra—Bolero.

BRIDGE NOTES

Bad Bidding, Good Play

Bridge experts usually are not notable for their modesty and, therefore, when one of them refuses to allow his name to be used in connection with a well played hand, it is a safe bet that he had a reason for hiding his light under a bushel.

The hand described to-day was played in the recent Grand National Tournament by a midwestern expert who insists on remaining anonymous. I strongly suspect that the reason for this coyness may be found in his own bidding, which hardly can be held up as a model of excellence.

South, dealer.

North-South vulnerable.

NORTH	
S K 6 5	S K 6 5
H 8 7	H None
D A J 9 6 2	D A J 9 6
C 7 5 4	C None

WEST	
S A J 9 8	S 7 4
H J 10 9	H 6 4 3
D K 10 5 3	D 8 7 4
C K 8	C Q J 10 3 2

SOUTH	
S Q 10 3 2	S Q 10 3 2
H A K Q 5 2	H 5 2
D Q	D None
C A 9 6	C 9

The bidding:
South West North East
1 heart Double Redouble 2 clubs
3 hearts Pass 4 diamonds Pass
4 hearts Pass Pass

As I said above, after nothing South's jump rebid I do not wonder that he is not looking for publicity. His three heart rebid was a terrific stretch. In fact, considering that his partner had redoubled and, by so doing, had requested temporary captaincy, South should have passed at this point instead of making any rebid whatsoever. As to West's takeout double of one heart, this obviously was half "psychic". Incidentally, North's bidding was also overly aggressive. He was short about one-half an honour trick for his redouble. It must be admitted that declarer's play went a long way toward justifying his and his partner's bidding.

Today's Witness

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Aragon—Fantasia (Albeniz).
Organ—Frasquita Serenade (Lehar).
The Whistler And His Dog (Byron) ... Robinson Cleaver.
Vocal—Old Plantation (Redmond & David).
September In The Rain (film "Melody For Two") ... Turner Layton.
Dance Orchestra—Le Touquet—Paso-Doble (Damerell, Clifton & Evans).
The Merry-Go-Round Broke Down—Fox-Trot (The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra).
Vocal—Let's Call The Whole Thing Off (They Can't Take That Away From Me) (film "Shall We Dance") ... Hildegarde.
Orchestral—Sweetest Of All—Waltz (Waldteufel) ... Orchestra Mascotte.
2.15 p.m.—Close down.
5-8 p.m.—European Programme.
8-11 p.m.—Chinese Programme.
5 p.m.—Relay of the Dance Orchestra from the Roof-Garden of the Hong Kong Hotel.
6.30 p.m.—Children's Records.
Children's Overture (Quilter).
New Light Symphony Orchestra.
Now We Are Six (Frazer-Simson Poems by A. A. Milne). Intro:

By ELY CULBERTSON

Vocal—When The Harvest Moon Is Shining (Wilfred & Swayne).
Was It Rain? (Hirsch & Handman) ... Turner Layton.
Male Voices w. Piano—Congo Lullaby (film) ... Sanders of the River.
Love Me A Little To-day (Herbert & Brodzsky).
Comedy Harmonists—Novelty—A Shanty In A One Horse Town—Waltzing Matilda (An Australian Song).

Sneezes, The Friend ... Mimi Crawford (Soprano).

6.45 p.m.—Songs by Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone).

Just Keepin' On (Phillips).

Don't Let The River Run Dry (Haines & Harper).

Red, White And Blue (Noel Gay).

6.55 p.m.—New Light Symphony Orchestra and Mary Kay (Contralto).

Poet And Peasant—Overture (Suppe).

Incidental Music To "Mary Rose" (O'Neill) ... Orchestra.

Love's Old Sweet Song (Molloy, Bingham).

A Brown Bird Singing (Haydn Wood, Barrie).

Danny Boy (Weatherley).

Mary Kay—Princess Ida—Selection (Sullivan) ... Orchestra.

7.30 p.m.—Closing Local Stock Quotations and Hong Kong Exchange Market Report.

7.35 p.m.—New Variety.

Piano Medley—Floodlight (Beverley Nichols).

A Little White Room (Floodlight) ... Vivian Ellis.

Vocal—When The Harvest Moon Is Shining (Wilfred & Swayne).

Was It Rain? (Hirsch & Handman) ... Turner Layton.

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Comedy Harmonists—Novelty—A Shanty In A One Horse Town—Waltzing Matilda (An Australian Song).

The Hillbillies—The Hillbillies.

8 p.m.—Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.03-11 p.m.—Chinese Programme—Relay from the Po Hing Theatre.

11 p.m.—Close down.

8.03-11 p.m.—European Programme from ZEK on a Frequency of 540 Kilocycles.

8.03 p.m.—Egon Petri at the Piano.

Indianisches Tagebuch (Busoni).

Concert Study In D Flat Major (Liszt).

Half An Hour
Of
Irish Music

8.15 p.m.—Kreisler (Violin).

Liebesfreund.

Liebesleid (Kreisler).

Tambourin Chinois.

Caprice Viennois (Kreisler).

8.32 p.m.—Light Orchestral Concert.

Polonoise Militaire In A Major (Chopin, arr. Glazounov).

Waltz ("Sleeping Beauty"—Tchaikovsky).

Boston Promenade Orchestra conducted by Arthur Fielder.

The Song Is Ended ("Concert Version", Irving Berlin).

Serenade (Moszkowski).

Carroll Gibbons and the Savoy Hotel Orpheans.

La Siesta (Barcarolle) (Norton, arr. Lotter) ... The Palladium Orchestra conducted by Richard Cream.

Pas D'Espagne, Waltz.

Down The Mother Volga.

Russian National Balalaika Orch.

9 p.m.—Irish Music.

St. Patrick's Night (Paddy O'Brien gives a Party). Vocal & Talking.

Believe Me, If All Those Endearing Young Charms (Moore, arr. Clutton).

Mother Machree (Olcott & Ball).

Danny Malone (Tenor).

The Green Groves Of Erin — Irish Reels ... William J. Mullaly (Concertina).

Medley Of Reels.

Sean Nolan (Dublin), (Violin).

The Hills Of Donegal (Sanderson).

The Bard Of Armagh (arr. Hughes).

Danny Malone (Tenor).

Irish Rhapsody (Herbert).

New Light Symphony Orchestra.

9.30 p.m.—London Relay—The News & Announcements.

9.55 p.m.—Latest Dance Records.

10.15 p.m.—London Relay—The Saturday Game. A sportive musical broadcasting affair written and composed by Ernest Longstaffe. Additional numbers by various composers.

Orchestrations by Harry Bidgood.

List of Events: (1) Greyhounds Forward, (2) A Little Golf, (3) The Tennis Rabbit, (4) Critical Cricketers, (5) A Swimming Episode, (6) "The Green Dragon" Plays Darts, (7) The Game of Love, (8) T'Coop Tie.

Orchestra under the direction of Harry Bidgood. Production by William MacLure.

11 p.m.—Close down.

What's On At the Cinemas

AT THE QUEEN'S—"Shall We Dance", with Ginger Rogers and Fred Astaire. The famous dancing team in a big show with six new song hits.

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AT THE STAR—"Turn Off The Moon"—Produced by Fanchon, creator of the famous Fanchon and Marco shows, this whimsical musical comedy is not only a delightful mélange of dancing, romancing girls, gayety, catchy songs and uproarious fun, it has also an unusually strong story. Cast includes Charlie Ruggles, Eleanor Whitney, Johnny Downs, Kenny Baker and Marjorie Gateson.

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AT THE MAJESTIC—"Polo Joe". This is far and away one of Joe Brown's funniest and most ludicrous films. He introduces some quips about China, this clearly being the result of his visit to the Orient two years ago. But it has tomfoolery which means so

much to the picture, and it is hard to imagine better burlesque.

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AT THE ORIENTAL—"Pick Me A Star". Handsome cast of screen celebrities makes this picture something out of the ordinary in the way of musical comedies. Patsy Kelly, Jack Haley, Stan Laurel and Oliver Hardy lead the fun and laughter, and excellent contributions are made by Mischa Auer, Lydia Roberto and Rosina Lawrence.

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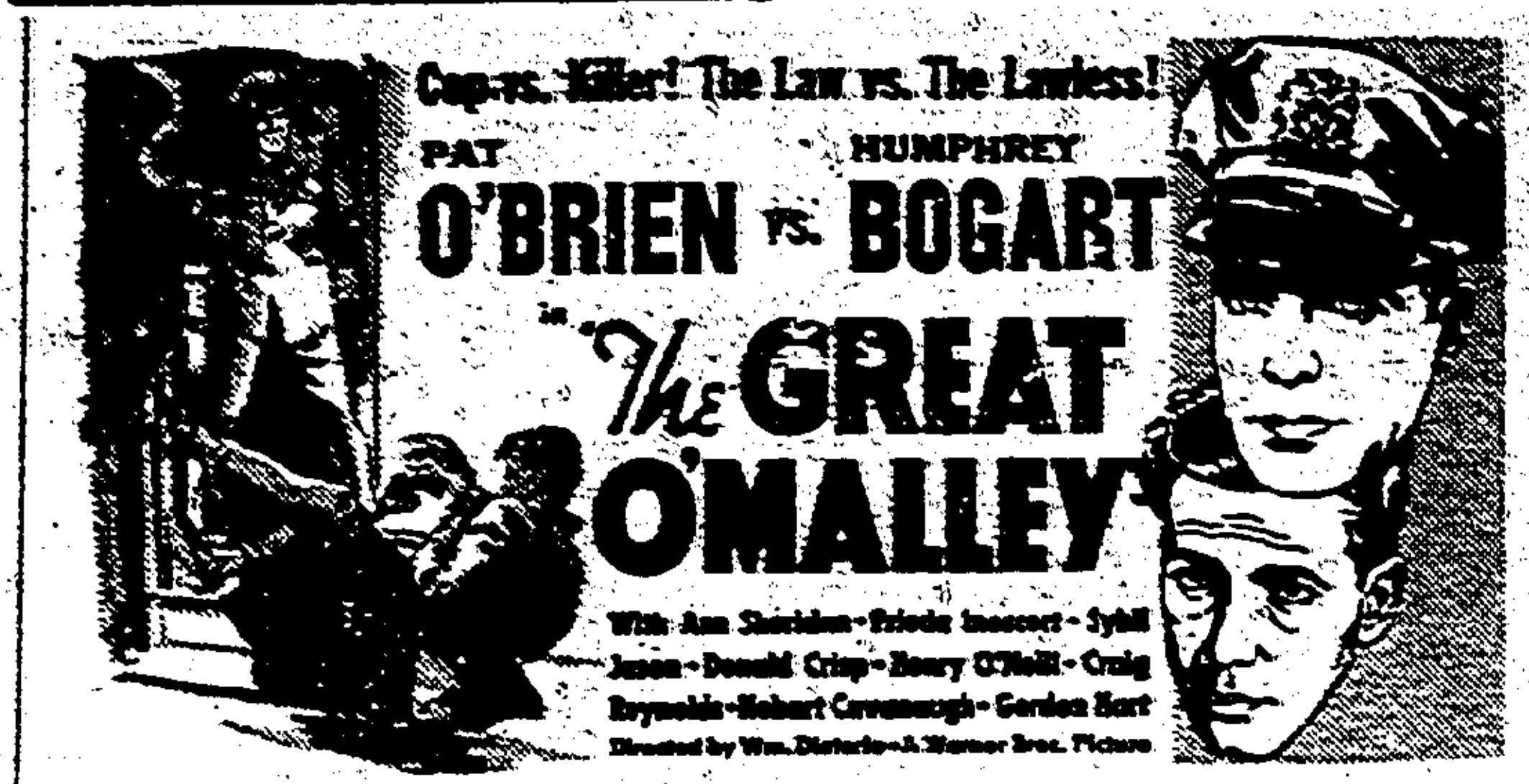
AT THE KING'S—"Theodora Goes Wild". With Irene Dunne as the madcap heroine of a gay romance which is truly deliciously delightful in the grandest role of her brilliant screen career. Melvyn Douglas has the leading male role. The supporting cast includes Tosalind, Leona Maricle, Henry Kolker, Thomas Mitchell, Elizabeth Risdon, Robert Greig, Spring Byington, Mary MacLaren, Thurston Hall, Margaret McWade and Sarah Edwards.

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TO-DAY'S QUESTION
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Answer: One spade.

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MAINLAND

	Feet
Taimoshan	3,124
Kowloon Peak	1,971

A FRAID OF CLASH WITH SOVIET

Tokyo, To-day. Munition factories in Japan are working day and night producing arms and munition for the Japanese forces in China.

Anti-air raid precautions are being extensively carried out. Dug-outs are also being prepared for civilians.

Last night more transports conveying troops and large quantities of ammunition left this port for Shanghai.

Rumours in military circles state that the War Office expects hostilities on the Manchukuo border at any moment.

According to a report received here yesterday more Soviet troops have been despatched to the borders of Mongolia and of Manchukuo where they are now massing. — Our Own Correspondent.

GIRL'S SECRET NIGHT SWIM DEFIED CURRENTS AND DARKNESS SOUTHSEA TO RYDE CROSSING

An Austrian parlourmaid, staying with her mistress at Hayling Island, swam unaccompanied from Southsea to Ryde, Isle of Wight.

She covered the four miles in five hours, defying strong currents.

The girl is Miss Louise Horna, 21, employed by Mrs. Roland Gander Dower, of Palace-gate, Kensington, W., and she made her swim secretly.

She came ashore at Ryde just before midnight and walked across the sands to the promenade in her bathing costume. Stopping a taxi she said to the driver: "I have just swum from Southsea alone" and then collapsed.

"The girl was very cold and suffering badly from cramp," said the taxi-driver. "I drove her to a milk bar for hot refreshment and she recovered. She surprised me by producing a 10s note from a pocket in her bathing costume."

Later the girl was taken to the police station, and returned to Hayling Island in the morning.

Miss Horna said "I always wanted to do the swim. I left my clothes at the Clarence Pier, Southsea, and told the attendant I was going for a short swim. This was at 6.30, and I swam on until reaching Ryde.

"Once a steamer narrowly missed me, and the current changed frequently."

Mr. Gander Dower said he and his family had been very worried as the girl did not return the same evening. He knew that she was a strong swimmer. On a previous occasion she tried to swim to the Isle of Wight, but was stopped near the forts by a police launch.

CHINESE RED CROSS

Sir,—I am directed to acknowledge that, as a result of their house-to-house collection, which is made only on Sundays, holidays, and spare time in the evenings, the Chinese young men and ladies of the St. Teresa's Catholic Action Societies have, since September 15, obtained the following amounts for war relief:

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We avail ourselves of this opportunity to thank all those who have contributed to this fund. The collection is still continuing.

P. Y. T. Lo
Hon. Secretary.

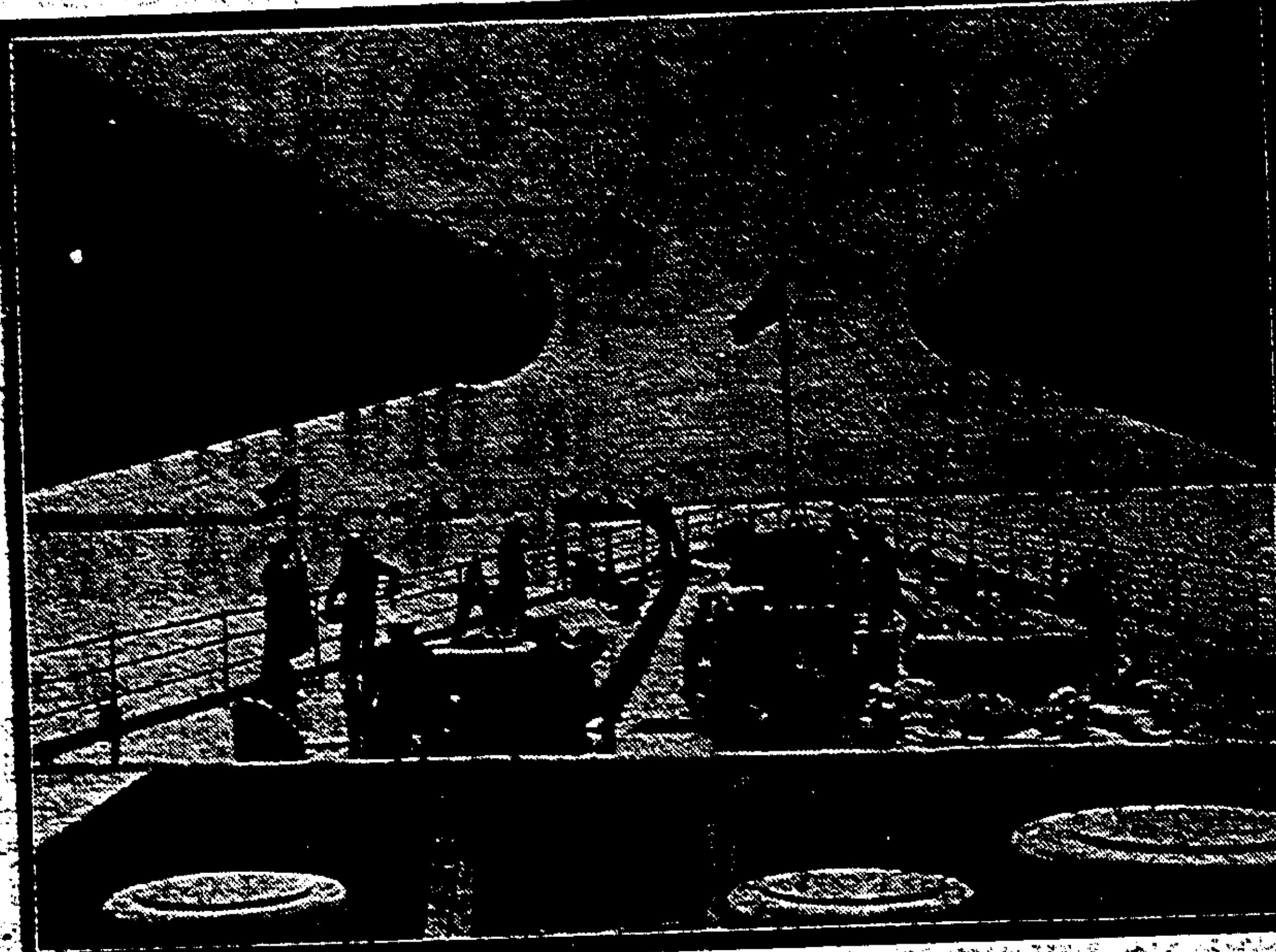
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Since our last acknowledgment we have received further donations from October 2, 1937.

THE CHINA MAIL, OCTOBER 4, 1937.



The fore turret guns of H.M.S. Hood, which left Malta yesterday for anti-piracy patrol in the Mediterranean.

HITLER MAKES COLONIES KEYNOTE OF HARVEST THANKSGIVING SPEECH

BERLIN, TO-DAY.

THE GERMAN PEOPLE YESTERDAY CELEBRATED IN FERTILE LOWER SAXONY THE ANNUAL HARVEST THANKS-GIVING WHICH HAS BECOME TRADITIONAL SINCE THE ADVENT OF THE NAZIS.

Peasants, students, company directors and workmen from all over Germany had assembled in the presence of Herr Hitler to observe the festival, that symbolises the unity of the peasant, and the town worker.

With Herr Hitler were the Propaganda Minister, Dr. Joseph Goebbels, Herr Himmler, Chief of Storm Troops, Herr Victor Lutze and Colonel-General von Fritsch, Commander-in-Chief of the Army.

Herr Hitler, in a speech, referred to Germany's colonial demands.

COLONIAL DEMANDS

Nobody in the world, he said, was ready to help Germany. When Germany asked for colonies the answer was that colonies helped nobody and that Germany could buy all the raw material she needed. If colonies were a burden it was not clear why those who had them would not part with them.

His 1,250,000 listeners applauded when the Fuehrer said that return of the German colonies meant no-

thing else than return of lawful property.

Germany had acquired her colonies lawfully but they were taken from her unlawfully.

THE MIRACLE

After praising the German defence forces, Herr Hitler said that he had had to order reoccupation of the Rhineland one and a half years ago because he was fully conscious that he had the whole German people behind him. The Fuehrer concluded: "We see a miracle before us that while in other countries stuffed with gold and foreign exchange, currencies disintegrate, while in Germany, where the currency is backed by neither gold nor foreign exchange, the mark remains firm as a rock."

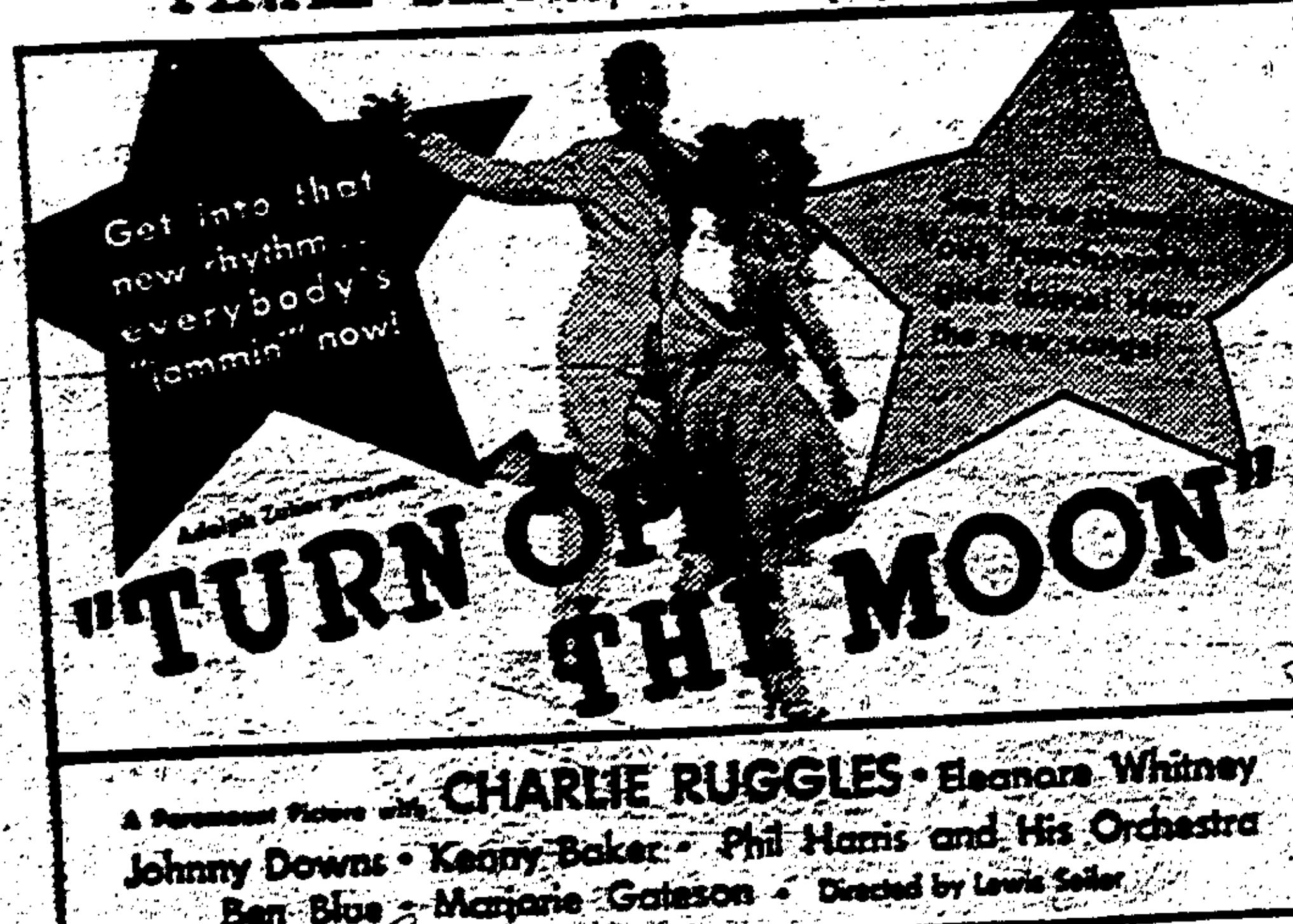
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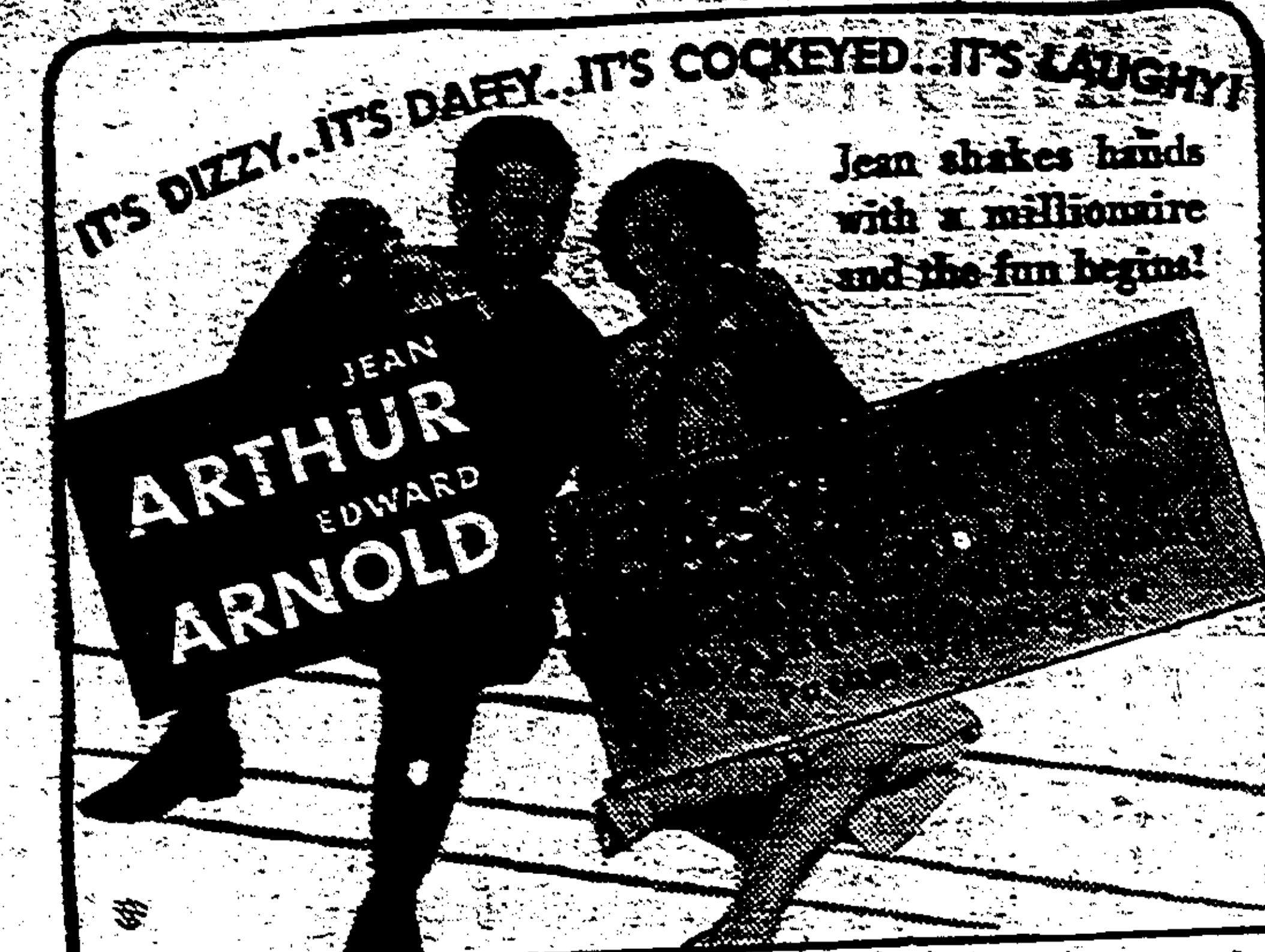
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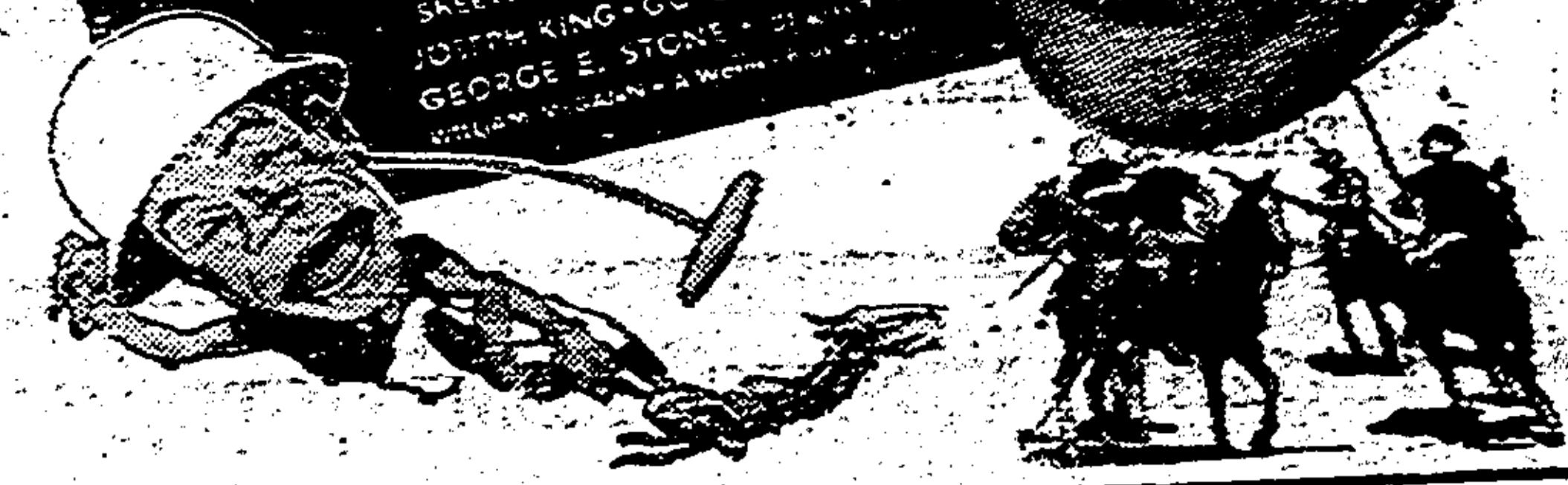
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NANKING AND NORTH CHINA

SOVIET NOTE ON INTERVENTION

London, To-day. The Soviet Government, says the "Evening Standard," has sent a Note to the non-intervention committee demanding opening of the Spanish land frontiers for unrestricted importation of war material.

According to the paper, the Note says that owing to withdrawal of Britain and France from naval control of the Spanish coasts, a new situation has been created to the advantage of General Franco.

Consequently in the Soviet view the entire, non-intervention policy has broken down, and in order to restore equilibrium, Moscow proposes reopening of the Pyrenees frontier.

No information can be obtained of the report in official circles in London.—Trans-Ocean.

H.M.S. HOOD ON PIRACY PATROL

London, To-day. The battle cruiser H.M.S. Hood left Malta on Saturday on her first voyage through the Mediterranean on anti-piracy patrol.

Simultaneously the destroyers Basilisk, Boreas, Bulldog, Boadicea and the flotilla leader Kempenfelt, left Gibraltar on a similar patrol.—Trans-Ocean.

PORTUGUESE ANNIVERSARY

H.M.S. Seamew is leaving for Macao at three o'clock this afternoon, to join in celebrations in the Portuguese Colony to commemorate anniversary of the Proclamation of the Republic of Portugal, which falls to-morrow.

The Seamew will remain in Macao until Thursday.

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BID TO BE MADE TO RESTORE SITUATION

The Chinese are shortly to make a supreme effort to retrieve their military position in North China, according to Japanese reports from Pao-tingfu, which say that General Chiang Kai-shek has massed 130,000 troops in the vicinity of Shih-chiachwang, near the border of Hopei and Shansi.

The reports add that General Chan Chien, Chief of the Nanking General Staff, has been sent to Shih-chiachwang with an order for General Liu Chih, the Chinese commander-in-chief, North China, to halt at all costs the Japanese advance in the Peiping-Hankow Railway zone.

Japanese troops at present are at Hsinlo, only 30 miles north of Shih-chiachwang, which is strategically important because it is the junction of the Peiping-Hankow Railway with the line west to Taituanfu, the Shansi capital.—Reuter.

TEHCHOW FALL CLAIMED

Peiping, To-day. The Japanese have captured Tehchow, in Shantung, 60 miles north of the Yellow River, according to a Japanese communiqué.—Reuter.

Climber's Night On Precipice Edge

A French climber, Dr. Larrieu, was rescued in the Pyrenees recently after clinging for 24 hours to the rock face above a sheer drop of 700ft. His perilous position was the result of a fall while returning from Bugard, Tarbes, over the rocky defiles of Barade.

Unable to move, he set fire to some paper in his haversack and dropped it as a signal into the valley, where it was seen by a shepherd.

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TENSION HIGH IN OLD CITY OF JERUSALEM

JERUSALEM, TO-DAY. TENSION PREVAILS IN THE OLD CITY OF JERUSALEM, WHERE GROUPS OF ARAB YOUTHS PERAMBULATING YESTERDAY MORNING FORCED THE BAZAAR TO CLOSE.

Police had a busy time chasing pickets and assuring merchants of protection.

The new city was not affected.

Tension continues in Jaffa as the result of strike agitation. Many Arab shops opened in the morning but closed later under the stress of intimidation.

The port of Jaffa was also closed.

SAFAD TENSION

All Arab shops were closed at Safad, where rifle fire from three sides was directed at the Jewish quarter of the town but no casualties are reported.

The Grand Mufti has issued a proclamation from his self-imposed imprisonment in the Mosque of Omar urging Arabs to return to work.—Reuter.

MORE ARRESTS

London, To-day. Arrests of Arabs in Palestine continue, according to press reports.

In addition to five Arab leaders who have been deported, a considerable number of persons of secondary importance are also being held.—Trans-Ocean.

TROOPS READY IN EGYPT

Student Demonstration In Cairo

Cairo, To-day. Demonstrations of protest by Egyptian students against the British measures in Palestine were held in a medical school here yesterday, when numerous hot-headed orators assured the Palestine Arabs that they "enjoyed the full support of Egyptian youth in their fight for freedom."

In the meantime, press reports say that the British authorities in Egypt are preparing to despatch reinforcements to Palestine should the 7,500 British troops already there be unable to preserve order.

All troop-carrying planes are ready to take off immediately.—Trans-Ocean.

HEAVY BATTLE RAGING

Chinese Lines Destroyed By
Intense Artillery Fire

WITHDRAWAL ON LOTIEN LIUHANG ROAD ADMITTED

Shanghai, To-day.

The Chinese admit that the Japanese have occupied the Lotien-Liuhang highway and part of the "iron belt" fortifications north of Shanghai after extremely bitter fighting, but claim to have retreated only a short distance.

Very heavy casualties were suffered on both sides.

A heavy artillery duel continued all day, with Chinese guns in Pootung pounding the Japanese rear in Yangtsepoo.

One shell hit the bows of a Japanese transport.—Reuter.

ONE KILOMETRE WITHDRAWAL

Main Defence Line Not Affected

Shanghai, To-day.

It is officially announced that heavy battles are raging on all fronts. All the main Chinese positions remain intact except along the Lotien highway from which Chinese troops withdrew a distance of one kilometre. Their defence works along this highway had been entirely demolished by the enemy's artillery fire. This withdrawal does not affect the main defence line.—Hua Nan.

Shanghai, Later.

Heavy fighting was resumed on the Liuhang-Lotien front early this morning with the Chinese assuming the offensive. The enemy's repeated attempts at driving a wedge into the Chinese line have failed completely. Incessant machine-gun and heavy artillery fire kept residents of the Shanghai area awake through the night.—Hua Nan.

CHINESE RAIDERS ACTIVE

Bomb Japanese Artillery Positions

Shanghai, To-day.

Shortly before dawn this morning, while occasional shelling by Japanese artillery took place on the Woosung front, one Chinese bomber, escorted by two pursuit planes, flew over the Japanese lines and emptied its bomb racks on the enemy's artillery positions, registering two direct hits.

The Japanese anti-aircraft guns went into action but failed to bring the invaders down.—Our Own Correspondent.

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Chinese Company

Training Course—Part II.—The undermentioned members of the Chinese Company will attend Chinese Company Headquarters on Tuesday, October 5th at 17.30 hours for Part II of Training Course:

Constables R4 Tam Hiu Fung, R23 Kong Ka Yan, R43 Lau Chick Kai, R49 Lam Man, R48 Thomas Thim Wong, R50 Sit Pui Hang, R56 Wan Chiu, R58 Chiu Chun Ki, and R60 George Chan.

Flying Squad

Instructional Patrol.—The instructional patrol for members of Flying Squad will take place on Friday, October 15th, 1937. All members will parade at Central Police Station at 17.15 hours sharp. Dress—White Uniform, and Cap with White Cover.

Emergency Unit Reserve

Errata.—Lance Sergeant R408 G. J. Grover to act as Sub Inspector while in command of the Emergency Unit Reserve, as from the 15th September, 1937.

Inspection.—All members will attend Emergency Unit Reserve Headquarters on Wednesday, October 6th at 17.30 hours for an inspection of Winter Uniform. Dress—Mufti. All members must bring their Winter Uniform for this inspection.

Squad Drill.—A Squad Drill for members of the Emergency Unit Reserve will be held at No. 2 Police Station on Friday, October 8th at 17.30 hours. All members will parade at Queen's Pier at 17.15 hours. Dress—Optional.

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EARL HAIG STATUE

May Be Unveiled On Armistice Day

The memorial to Earl Haig, an equestrian statue first designed by Mr. A. F. Hardiman eight years ago, is nearing completion.

Behind wooden hoardings opposite the Scottish Office in Whitehall workmen have laid the foundations and are building the stone pedestal designed by Mr. S. Rowland Pierce.

The bronze casting has been completed at a Kennington foundry. Mr. Hardiman said that he is putting the finishing touches to the bronze, and that the statue will be ready for erection in Whitehall by the middle of next month.

At the Office of Works it was stated that it is possible that the unveiling ceremony may take place on Armistice Day, but the date is "being considered."

Controversy regarding the design of the statue has been chiefly responsible for the delay in setting up the memorial. Mr. Hardiman's first design, which was approved by a special Government committee in 1929, aroused a storm of criticism.

A second model received a similar reception. Eventually, a third design was approved in 1931.

YUENSANG STOPPED BY SUBMARINES

The Yuensang, coming into Hong Kong, was twice stopped by Japanese submarines on Saturday. The first incident occurred at 8 a.m. and the second at 1 p.m. No boarding parties were sent. The submarines made enquiries by signal and then allowed the Jaridine steamer to proceed.

HONG SIANG STOPPED

The master of the s.s. Hong Siang, Captain B. M. Cole, was stopped by a Japanese man o'war about 180 miles S.W. of Hong Kong, and boarded by a party requesting his name, nationality and destination. When these were supplied, the ship was allowed to proceed.

CANTON RIVER STILL CLOSED

The Canton River delta remains closed, but information from reliable sources indicates that the present situation will not long persist and that passage for river shipping will be possible within a few days.

The Harbour Office has issued the following notification: Information has been received that it is the intention of the authorities to block the Pearl River for an indefinite period.

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I DO LIKE TO BE BESIDE THE SEASIDE

INDEED: I like nothing better to fish rivers or sitting in motor cars. We are a sea-loving nation just to hurtle like projectiles along the faculty of making our hearts oscillate between our mouths and our blue linen shirts, backs bare save at this moment those of us who are last-named are a trifling daft, but for lucky are plunging into the sea, or me no holiday is a holiday unless it sailing on it, or catching fish from embraces the sea and the sea embraces me. It, or nodding off to sleep beside it braces me. * * *

All sorts of dodges exist for persuading sleep to take possession of us, but I know none superior to the lapping of water on shingle or against the jetty wall.

Our English seaside gives us, as it were, a sea voyage without the roll. And since I maintain that most of us have a trifle of the Viking spirit in us (see those lads from the factories and pits and workshops off to the Isle of Man, caps at a nautical angle, talking knowingly of knots and engines and sending wireless messages to Maggie and Alice and Jane), we are as much at home on the promenade as Nelson was on the Victory.

Insight and knowledge of human nature went to the turning of Bournemouth and Brighton piers into resemblances to ships' decks—free shuffleboard and deck tennis at the first and at the second an open-air ballroom with a teak mast in the middle that towers into the night, with three black storm cones and a signal light slung to it by a score of ropes. The floor is ribbed and polished, the sky navy blue and starred, and you need only a small amount of imagination to be dancing, not off the coast of Sussex, but down the Mediterranean or nearing Hawaii.

There are those who have a passion for putting on nailed boots to climb mountains, or donning waders

a man in conical cap, horn rims sandals and bathing gown; girls in boots, and of affording us males for two thin straps, fancy handkerchiefs in front; fathers dressed as masculine we are and the females little boys—shirt, shorts and canvas how feminine they are, thus bringing shoes.

ing a stage nearer that delectable moment when both feel that existence, except in the society of one another, is no longer endurable. And those two things—to remain the bell when they arrive? Or young and to meet somebody you take a great liking to—those are racing, talking the essence of the spirit of the sea-side:

I would not bar a certain reck-

By Hodson

diminished. Mine is an old and lessness in spending, either. But hardy affection going back to the that may be because I come from days when a five days' holiday, a part of England—to wit, Lancashire—where you can hear women carrying our own tin trunks, and saving up for months to do it, was more exciting than a journey across the world would be to-day.

It is an affection, too, based on the fact that in this life of rush and frenetic pleasure the seaside keeps something of a Dickensian character, with its landaus, its Punch and Judy shows, its paddling, its shrimps and whelks, its bobbing yachts, its donkeys. It has stayed magnificently young.

Those mechanical purveyors of violent and exquisite emotions which abound on the pleasure beaches under new names may owe a good deal to Coney Island, but, in essence, they are the same as our old friend the switchback.

The popular story has it that thousands of my fellow Lancastrians leave half-a-crown under the clock on the mantelpiece to pay for the cab when they return home, knowing well they won't have a penny in their pockets. And there is some foundation for the tale. Their holiday-making has a heroic note about it, a taking no thought for the morrow, a saving for 51 weeks

that they may enjoy themselves live like lords, as they saw—in the fifty-second.

During that week, "Wakes" week, they capture a sense of freedom and release that is rarely theirs during the remainder of the year. So that you find in them a sort of incarnation of the seaside spirit—a gaiety, a superb contentment, a touch of wildness and determination that found expression in the song: "You can do a lot of things in Kelly-land that you can't do at home, sweet home."

Now, Marie Lloyd might have sung that song, and your true seaside holiday-maker has a touch of Marie Lloyd in him or her—a robustiousness, a raciness, a warm affection for his fellow men, and, on occasion, a note of healthy vulgarity that no one need be ashamed of. "First class?" echoed the woman from Bolton who was being told by the guard she must get out and travel third, "first class? There's no such thing on a Blackpool train." Equality—that was what she claimed on holiday, and she was right.

If I were to set down the seaside delights that I have enjoyed most, I shouldn't know where to begin. Would it be seaside cricket, with a deck chair for wickets and sea for long stop, with the danger of being run out through a bit of smart fielding by some zealous boy who pops up from nowhere and doesn't really belong to your game at all?

Or would it be dance-football I saw at Margate, with goalposts and nets on the dance-floor, and four couples a-side kicking a light football as they one-stepped or foxtrotted to the band?

Or would it be noting the amusing dresses one sees—a woman in red shirt, khaki shorts and bath cloak;

men on the pier, with belts on the ends of their rods, teaching the fisherman to be well brought up and ring the bell when they arrive? Or would it be observing the yacht spinnakers and booms, and showing a clean pair of heels?

Or would it be having one's fortune told and learning how wealthy we are going to be, what colour of eyes the best girl is to have, and how we are to go on a long voyage across the sea, and everything is to be rosy at last?

Or would it be watching the flea circus at Southsea, where the professor assured us that the proceedings were quite safe, as all fleas were harnessed with wire and could not escape?

Or would it just be listening to the conversations?—"Then he said did I love him, and I said how was a girl to know after three days, and then . . ."—"Then match has gone out again. Here, you must put that shoe-on for me. Oo, that wind!"—"Oh, Olive, do listen. He said he'd never been nuts on a girl before and would I go round the island with him?"—"Ocgh, I wouldn't. You'd be sick, I bet. Hurry up, those chaps won't wait all night."

* * *

But I don't pretend, all the same, that our seaside is perfect. Towns exist which are too grandmotherly altogether—restrictions against bathing unless you hire a machine, and an atmosphere that suggests you are ill-behaved if you are not indoors by eleven o'clock. For myself, I should welcome an extension of the care-free spirit of the Isle of Man, which captures something of a Continental air.

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THE WORLD GOES BY By "ULYSSES"

THREE seems no reason why the invention of Spoonerisms should ever come to an end. Dr. Spooner himself died as long ago as 1920, but new examples of his verbal eccentricity are constantly being "discovered".

The latest number of the "Periodical" publishes a fresh batch labelled, however, as "unauthenticated".

Perhaps one might adopt the technique of the Oxford examination system and arrange them in three classes.

First-class honours should be awarded to the request for a bath of milk and a glass bun.

Here we have the substitution of one word for another in such a way as to result in an intelligible meaning.

In the second class one might place instances where the initial letters of two words are transposed with a similar effect.

Thus, we have the description of Cambridge, after a visit in the winter, as a bloody, meek place, and the remark to a pupil that several prowlers have been detected in his hose.

"Shut him off with a killing" and "cattlehips and bruisers" are further examples.

When one of the resultant words is not a real word, not more than a third class seems to be deserved; for example, "And the wigtree frittered

Sabotaged Sausage

Sabotage is a wonderful word which nowadays covers an enormous variety of activities, but the recent Russian report of sabotage by means of poisoned liver sausage adds a new example to an over-worked industry.

As three people have been sentenced to death (and may by this time have been actually shot) for that form of sausage pollution one should properly regard the incident as grave in the extreme.

Yet, such is the incorrigible atmosphere of levity which is apt to surround the sausage, there still seems something slightly comic and unbelievable about sabotage as applied to that particular pig product.

One finds it easier to believe in plans for wrecking vast engineering undertakings, for sinking ships or derailing locomotives, than in a concerted conspiracy to sabotage the sausage.

It sounds too much like a variety of the harlequinade. And, anyway, supposing the sausages really were of the lethal variety, how do the sabotage sleuths know that the cause was not botulism which owed nothing to human malice?

However, when it is a matter of finding work for a firing party no doubt a sausage will do as well as a hipwreck.

LUFTHANSA PLANE SAFELY BACK IN GERMANY

Berlin, To-day.

The German Lufthansa plane which was detained in Eastern Turkestan several weeks ago, landed at Tempelhof Aerodrome at noon yesterday.

An immense crowd was present at the airfield to greet the fliers, who at one time during their captivity were given up for lost.

General Milch, Secretary of State for Air, greeted Baron von Gablenz, Director of Lufthansa, who had grown a beard during his captivity, and was not recognised by his children.

Describing the return flight from China, he said that a slight defect occurred in the port motor of the three-engined JU 52 machine, necessitating an emergency landing near Chotan.

FOUR WEEKS IN PRISON

Just as the plane was about to take off again soldiers appeared and they were arrested and imprisoned for four weeks.

Baron von Gablenz thanked the Chinese, Iranian, Iraqi and Afghanistan authorities for making the flight possible.

Talking of the proposed new service to China, he said that Germany had been refused permission to use the route over the Soviet and also the long route over India.

They could surmount these difficulties, however, and Sianfu could be made the meeting point of all air traffic between Europe and Asia.

ANOTHER FLIGHT SOON

While the present disturbances continued in China, the service naturally could not be extended to Nanking.

He said the flight to China across the Pamirs would be undertaken again soon, and would ultimately be the route between Germany, in the heart of Europe, and China, the "Central Empire" in the Far East, and would bind the two continents closer together.—Trans-Ocean.

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COUNT'S SECOND ESCAPE ON MONT BLANC

SNOW BLINDNESS AT 11,000 FT. UP

RESCUE AFTER FOUR DAYS' ORDEAL

Baron de Gobez, a daring Polish alpinist, was rescued on Mont Blanc for the second time in his life after hopes for him had been abandoned.

He set out to climb the 15,000 ft. summit by the perilous Red Sentinel route. He failed to return.

Then a rescue party discovered him in the hut at the Col de la Fourche, at a height of 11,866ft. He was suffering from snow-blindness.

The Baron is an Attaché at the Polish Consulate at Strasbourg. The Red Sentinel route which he chose has been scaled by very few climbers. Among them is the British alpinist, Mr. F. S. Smythe, of Mount Everest fame.

Intense Cold

When the Baron failed to return to Chamonix grave fears were felt for his safety on account of the intense cold at the higher altitudes and the fact that he was not equipped for bivouacking.

He was found by a caravan of young climbers from Chamonix, who set out to search for him.

It appears that he was overtaken by thick fog and was compelled to remove his snow-glasses to see his way. The result was that he was attacked by snow-blindness.

He was brought back to Chamonix and is now little the worse for his adventure. The Baroness de Gobez has arrived in Chamonix, overjoyed to find her husband alive.

On a previous occasion the Baron had a remarkable escape from death on Mont Blanc. He fell 200ft and lay unconscious for a day and a half before he was found.

NOTE TO ITALY IN DUPLICATE

Paris, To-day.
The Anglo-French approach to Italy over Spain consisted of two identical Notes, one in English, the other in French, and were presented to the Italian Foreign Minister, Count Ciano, by the British Ambassador and the French Charge d'Affaires in Rome.

The text may not be published for several days.—Trans-Ocean.

FRENCH FRANC FALL CAUSES SENSATION

London, To-day.
Collapse of the French franc on Saturday produced a sensation in London, and the weekend newspapers splash the story under banner headlines.

The decisions arrived at the French Cabinet, some quarters declare, have not yet had effect on French public opinion.

The financial correspondent of the "Evening Standard" declares that the probability is that a new franc crisis will arise in the next few days.

The correspondent adds that in France the situation, both politically and economically, is very unfavourable.—Trans-Ocean.

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tian burial.

Many of the townspeople shun the Count. Others are determined to keep up their friendly relations with him in spite of the decree of excommunication.

The peasants on his land are divided in their allegiance and cannot decide whether or not to obey the excommunication order, which means refusing to speak to the Count.

Many of them firmly believe that terrible things will happen to themselves, their families or their livestock if they even meet their landlord's clergy.

Count di Celle, perhaps fortunately for himself, spends most of his time in Turin.

ITALIAN COUNT SNUBBED BY THE POPE

CITY DIVIDED IN ALLEGIANCE

LANDLORD SHUNNED BY PEASANTS

The Pope has excommunicated Count Vittorio Ferraris di Celle, a wealthy landowner of Cuneo, near Turin, and the city and diocese of Cuneo is in a state of intense excitement. The trouble arose through a dispute over some land.

For a considerable time before the fall of the temporal power of the Pope in 1870 the di Celle family had the patronage of a Canonicate of the cathedral, which was richly endowed in land.

After 1870 the land reverted to the family, which lost patronage of the Canonicate. In 1934, by virtue of the Concordat between the Holy See and the Italian Government, the Holy See began to negotiate with Count di Celle, offering him patronage of the Canonicate again, but demanding that the land should be given back to the Church. Count di Celle demanded both the land and the patronage. The negotiations have been long and acrimonious, and the Count refused to give in.

Papal Alternative

Recently the Sacred Congregation of the Council, one of the departments of State of the Holy See, was instructed to look into the matter. The Pope looked through the papers and decided that unless Count di Celle gave up the land he must be excommunicated.

Mgr. Rosso, the Bishop of Cuneo, has now declared that the Count has been excommunicated. As a result the Count's clergy may not communicate with him.

He may not be married in the Church. In the event of his death he would be refused Chris-



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THE PROBLEM OF GERMANY

Herr Bohle's plea for Anglo-German understanding, in the course of his Dorchester Hall speech, can hardly fail, because of the tone, manner and occasion of the appeal, to evoke response even among those to whom the German system of government is anathema. The world situation to-day demands that no offer of friendship shall be summarily rejected on any count. Not since the dark days which immediately preceded the great catastrophe of 1914 has the world been so beset with wars and rumours of wars as it is today. It is therefore natural, as it is also profoundly important, that the question should be asked with growing anxiety and urgency whether something cannot be done to assuage our present discontents and arrest, before it is too late, our progress towards the great abyss. Among those who have followed observantly and thought at all deeply about the steady deterioration in international relations which has been gathering momentum for some years past, it is now generally recognised that the only key to the pacification of the world lies in the solution of basic problems provided by the attitude of a resurgent Germany once again demanding her place in the sun.

Whether that problem is capable of solution without resort to the arbitrament of war, which will only provide the grim solution of mutual destruction, is a question upon which opinions may differ, and to which only the recording finger of history can give a final answer. But of the transcendent importance of the problem there can be no real doubt. As a timely and able article in the last issue of the "Round Table" pointed out, if Germany could in some way be reconciled to her neighbours and brought back into the concert of Europe, the growing threat of a new world war would quickly fade away, such as would send Western civilisation reeling to its doom.

fatal both to economic and political stability, would immediately cease; the lesser problems of the Mediterranean and the Far East could be handled more easily and more effectively; and last, but by no means least, the League of Nations could be resurrected and the rule of law again set up in place of the rule of might.

The concept is one which must appeal immediately to all men of good will. Its practicability will be measured, however, by the view which is taken of modern Germany. There is one school of thought, with much history on its side, which believes that the character of the German people is traditionally and unshakably aggressive, that just as the First Reich was conceived in force and born of plunder, so the Third Reich is systematically preparing to carve its way with the sword to its self-appointed place in the sun, and that the ultimate objective of Nazi policy is the domination of Europe, if not of the world. On the other hand, there is another school of thought which, while admitting the military tradition in Germany, believes that she has, in a large measure, been the victim of circumstances, and that the growth of the military ideal was the natural consequence of a long struggle for unification and freedom from foreign interference pursued through several centuries. It is argued that had Germany been treated liberally at Versailles she would have sworn militarism in favour of an enlightened policy of co-operation, and that the advent of Nazism was the inevitable result of a misguided attempt to keep her in political and economic servitude to the victorious Allies.

The truth, as the "Round Table" suggests, probably lies somewhere between these two points of view. In any case, few will dissent from the belief that the ultimate issue of peace and war, with all that it involves, will be mainly determined by the ability or failure of Great Britain and Germany to reach some common basis of political and economic understanding. The paramount importance of such an understanding, if indeed it be obtainable, has recently been eloquently urged by two eminent students of foreign affairs—Sir Philip Gibbs and Mr. A. L. Kennedy—in two notable books. Both writers have little stomach for either Nazi doctrine or the intolerance of the Nazi social system. Both believe in the necessity for Great Britain's present rearmament programme, and there is no suggestion that we should embark upon the fatal policy of securing peace by paying Danegeld. The proposition is simply that we should, before it proves too late, make a supreme attempt to reach a just settlement with Germany, negotiated upon the basis of equality of rights. On this basis a satisfactory naval agreement has already been concluded, a fact which differentiates the present relations of the two countries sharply and happily from those of the pre-war decade. The professions, if not the acts, of Herr Hitler do not suggest that the larger agreement is impossible of achievement. Indeed, it is no exaggeration to say that its achievement affords the only sure way of avoiding a catastrophe such as would send Western civilisation reeling to its doom.

LABOUR DEMANDING EARLY SESSION OF PARLIAMENT

Bournemouth Conference Strongly Condemns Japan

RESOLUTION TO BE SUBMITTED TO-DAY

London, To-day.

The Executive of the Labour Party, meeting at Bournemouth, yesterday decided to authorise Major Clement Attlee, Leader of the Parliamentary Labour Party, to communicate with the Government and request that Parliament should be summoned immediately to deal with the international situation, especially the Sino-Japanese conflict.

Earlier in the proceedings the national executive of the Party had agreed on a resolution which will be submitted to the annual conference on Monday.

DONNINGTON RACE RECORDS

London, To-day.

German automobile racing added another victory to its impressive series of triumphs on Saturday when German drivers captured the first five places in the 250-mile race at Donnington, Derby.

Victor was Bernd Rosemeyer, who drove his Auto-Union car at an average speed of just over 82 miles an hour.

Second and third places went to Brauchitsch and Caracciola, both driving Mercedes-Benz cars.

Soon after the beginning of the race it became evident that competition would be confined to the German entries, all of whom immediately went into the lead.

Through his daring driving, which thrilled the 100,000 spectators, Rosemeyer forged ahead of his compatriots.

Both he and the runner-up broke the existing course record.—Trans-Ocean.

GERMAN TRADE WITH HOLLAND

Amsterdam, To-day.

The latest returns issued by the Netherlands Clearing Institute on German-Netherlands clearing business, reveals an important development in commercial relations between the two countries.

Figures show that in clearing business there is now a balance in favour of Germany amounting to 931,700 florins, that is to say, not only is the German debit balance, which for several years amounted to millions of florins, at last fully liquidated, and that in the past few weeks the credit balance in Germany's favour has risen.—Trans-Ocean.

The resolution says:

"The conference warmly welcomes the action of the Leader of the Opposition in demanding an early meeting of Parliament to consider action to be taken to vindicate international law and speedily end these shameful outrages against humanity."

"The conference views with horror the massacre of helpless Chinese people pursuing their peaceful callings on land and sea."

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"Continued acquiescence by other Powers in their barbaric method of warfare is fraught with grave dangers to the security of their own peoples and the future of civilisation, and should no longer be tolerated."

"The conference emphatically condemns deliberate and unprovoked acts of war by Japan against China over many years and calls on the British Government forthwith to prohibit British citizens from selling war material and lending money to Japan and to co-operate with other members of the League and the United States in imposing measures of economic and financial pressure designed to bring Japanese aggression to an end."

MEDICAL AID

"The conference calls on the British Government to furnish medical supplies and other forms of humanitarian assistance to the Chinese people, and urges all British citizens to express detestation of Japanese barbarism by refusing to buy Japanese goods."—Reuter.

General Gamelin In Rumania

Bucharest, To-day.

The Chief of the French General Staff, General Gamelin, arrived here yesterday for the Rumanian Army manoeuvres, scheduled to start on October 10.

General Gamelin spent the day in visiting the armament works at Resioza.—Trans-Ocean.



MAJOR ATTLEE

"NATION AT WORK"

Duesseldorf, To-day. Herr Hitler visited Duesseldorf for the first time in five years on Saturday, when he inspected the "Nation at Work" Exhibition.

Herr Hitler also reviewed troops and attended an official reception.—Trans-Ocean.

AUSTRALIAN CAVALRY CHIEF PASSES AWAY

Melbourne, To-day.

The death occurred yesterday at the age of 72 of Major-General the Hon. Sir Granville de Laune Ryrie, former Australian High Commissioner in London.

The late Sir Granville had a distinguished political and military career.

He was member of the New South Wales State Parliament, member of the House of Representatives in the Commonwealth Parliament from 1911 to 1927, and Assistant Minister for Defence from 1919 to 1922.

He commanded the 3rd Light Horse Regiment in New South Wales for seven years and served in South Africa, where he was severely wounded.

IN EGYPT

In the Great War he commanded the 2nd Light Horse Brigade, Australian forces, in Egypt, and later went to Syria.

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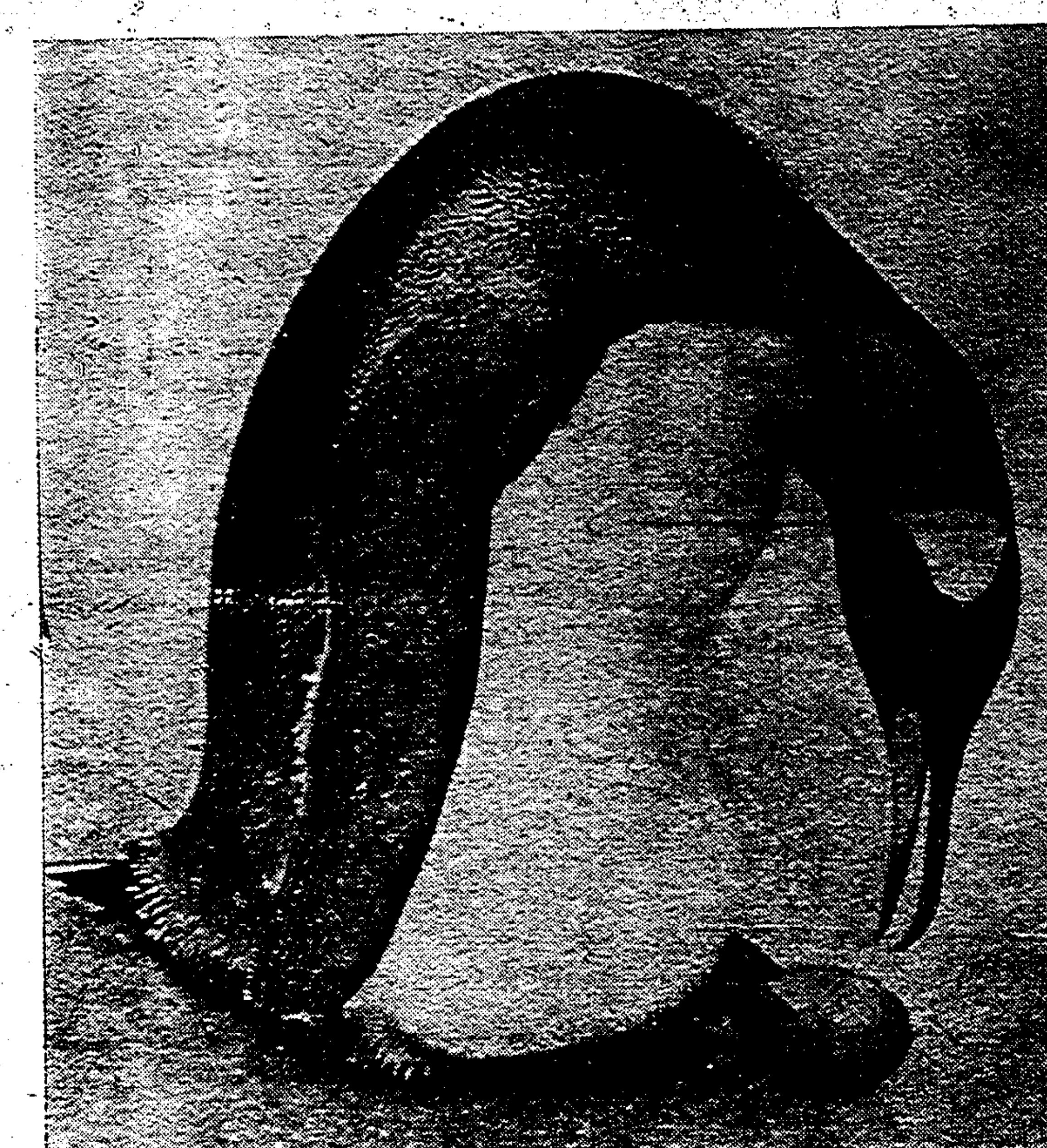
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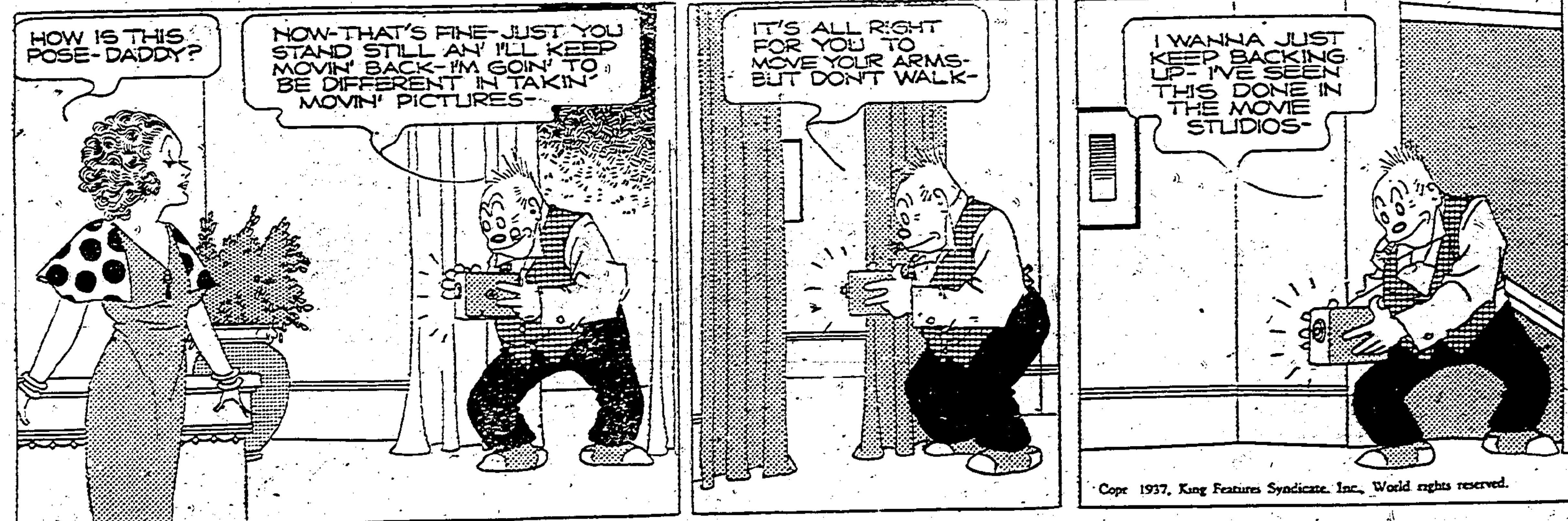
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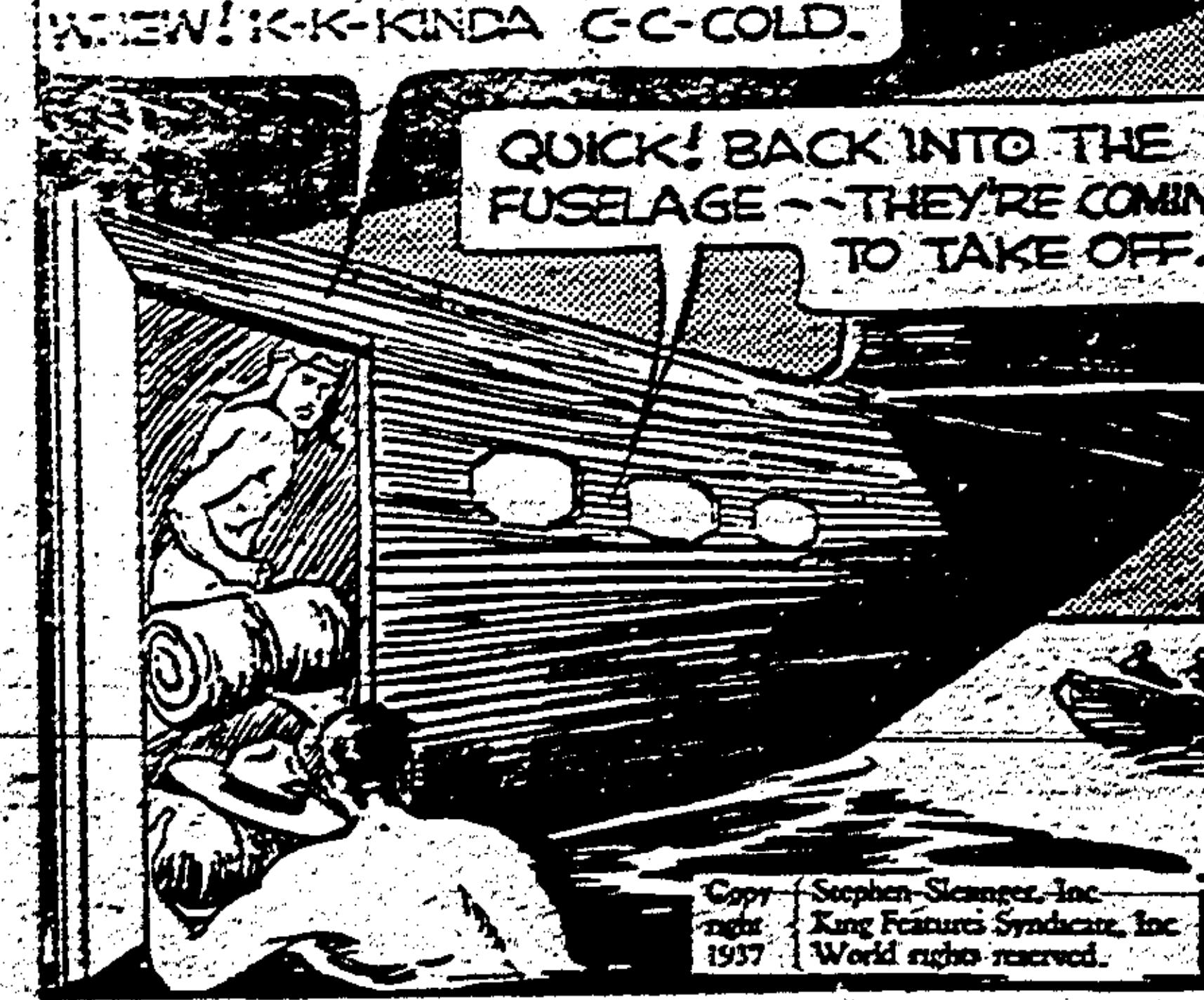
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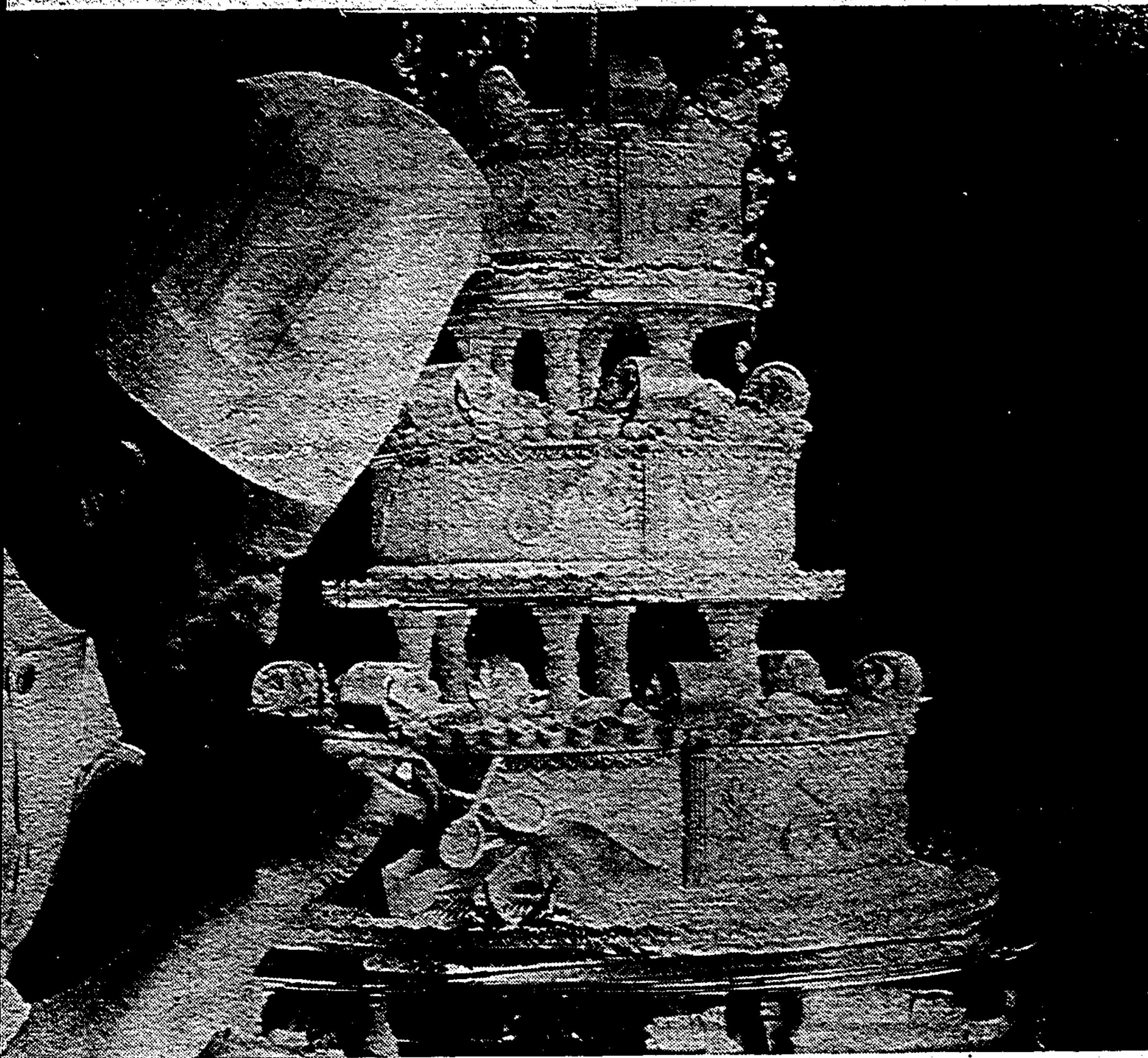
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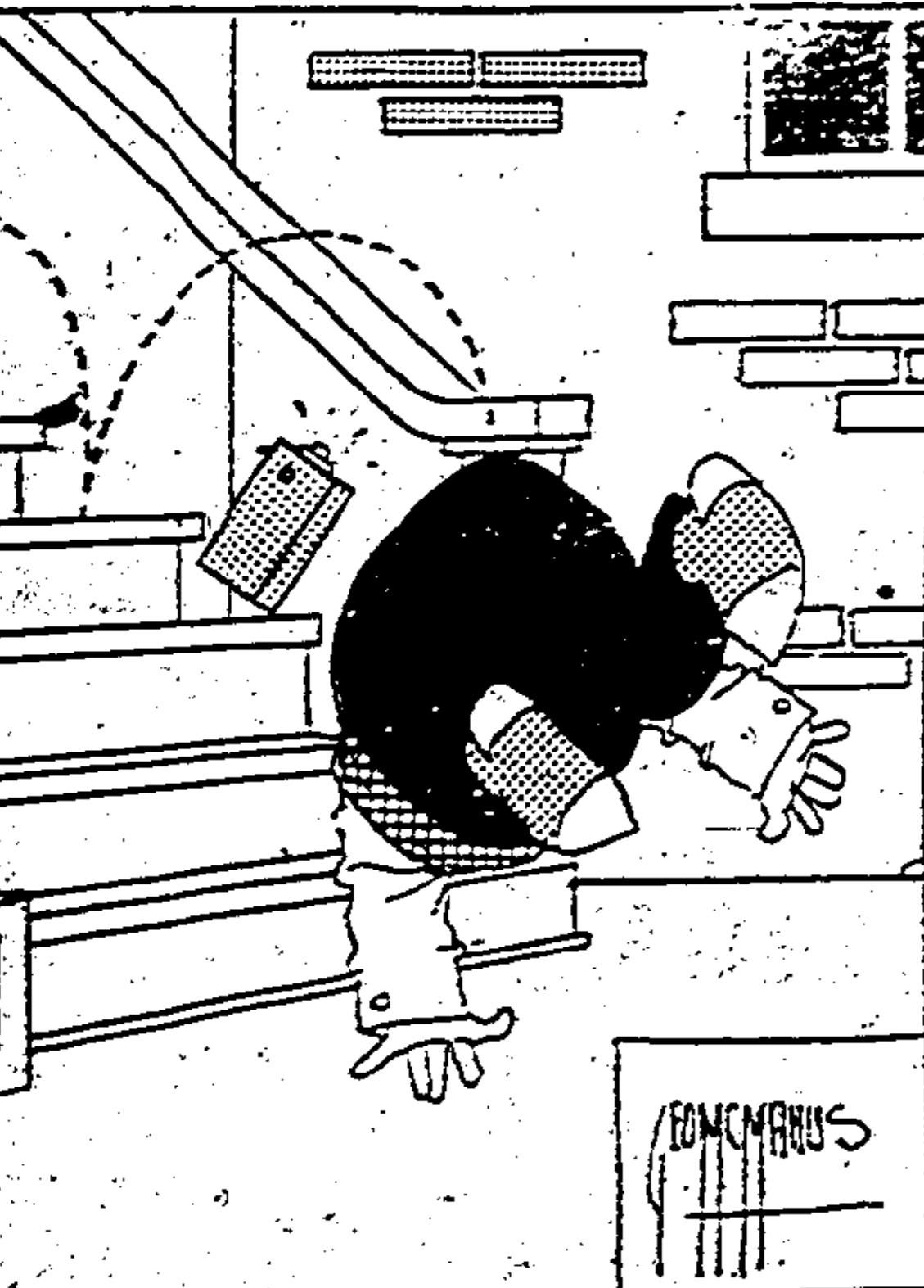


are reminders of Miss Dorothy Round's fame as a tennis star on her three tier wedding cake. The sugar included tennis sets, tennis balls and rackets. Miss Round married Dr. Douglas Little at Tuesday. Photo shows—At work on the 60lb. wedding cake for Miss Dorothy Round at Fuller's. The cake was surmounted by a model of the Wimbledon Cup. (Fox Copyright).

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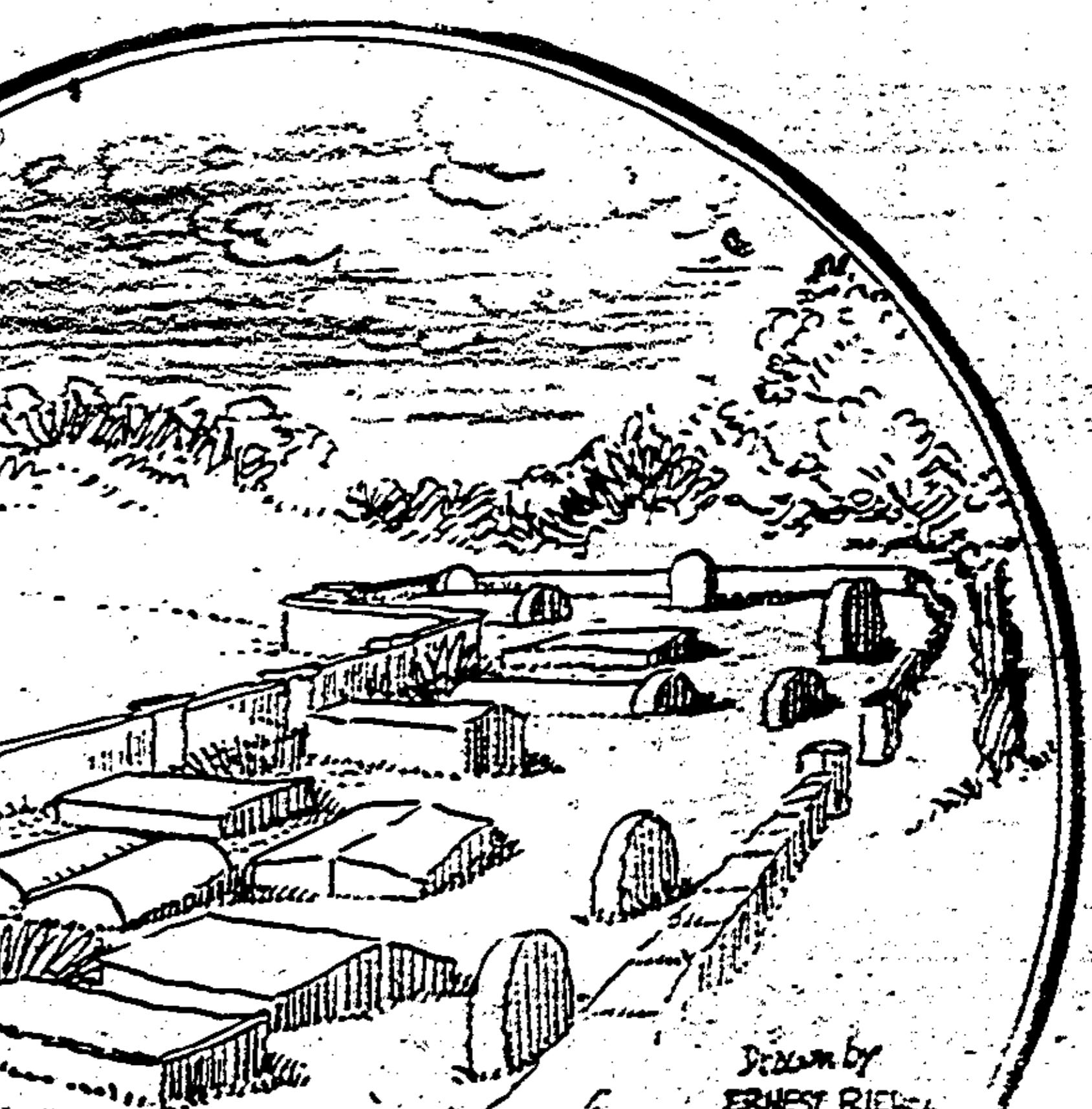
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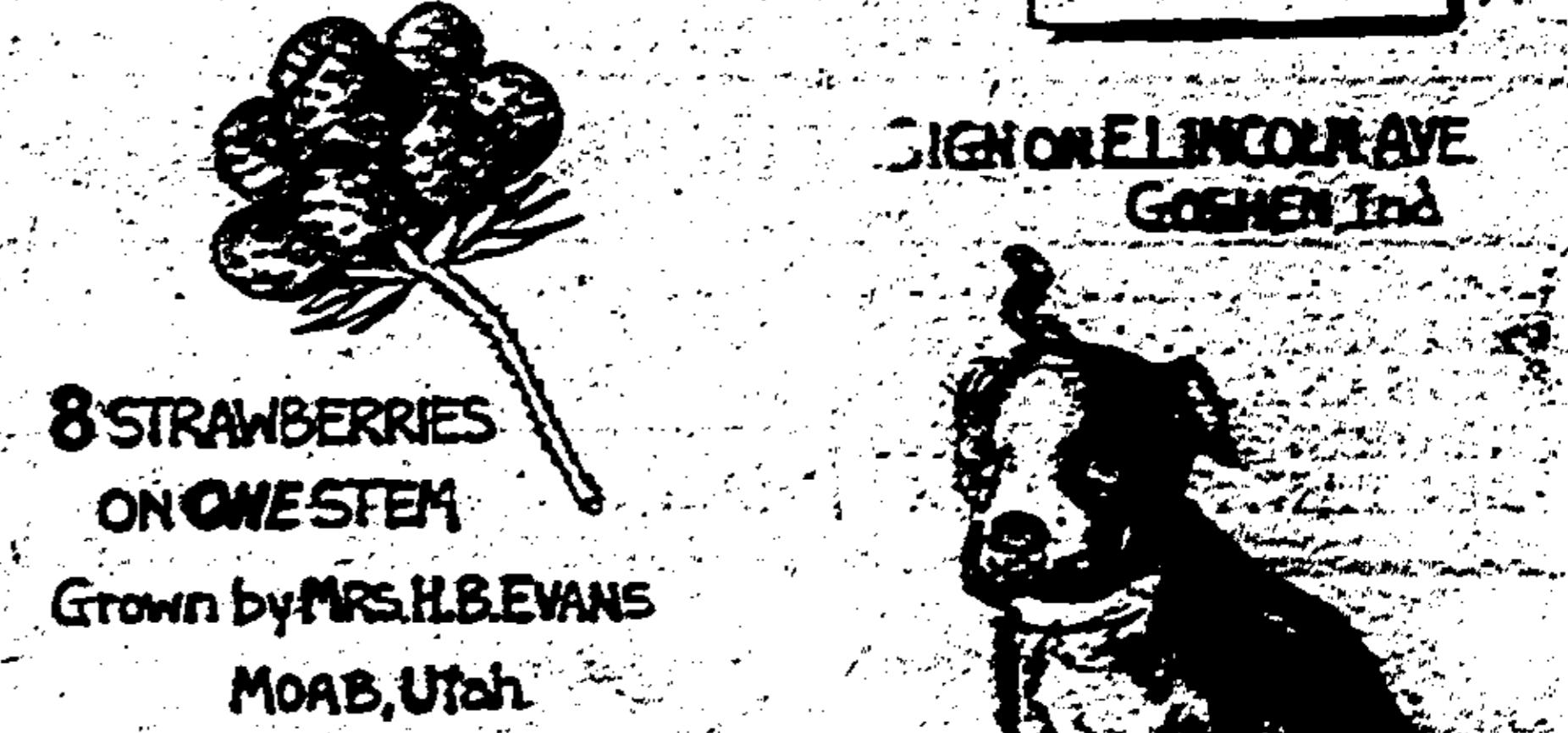
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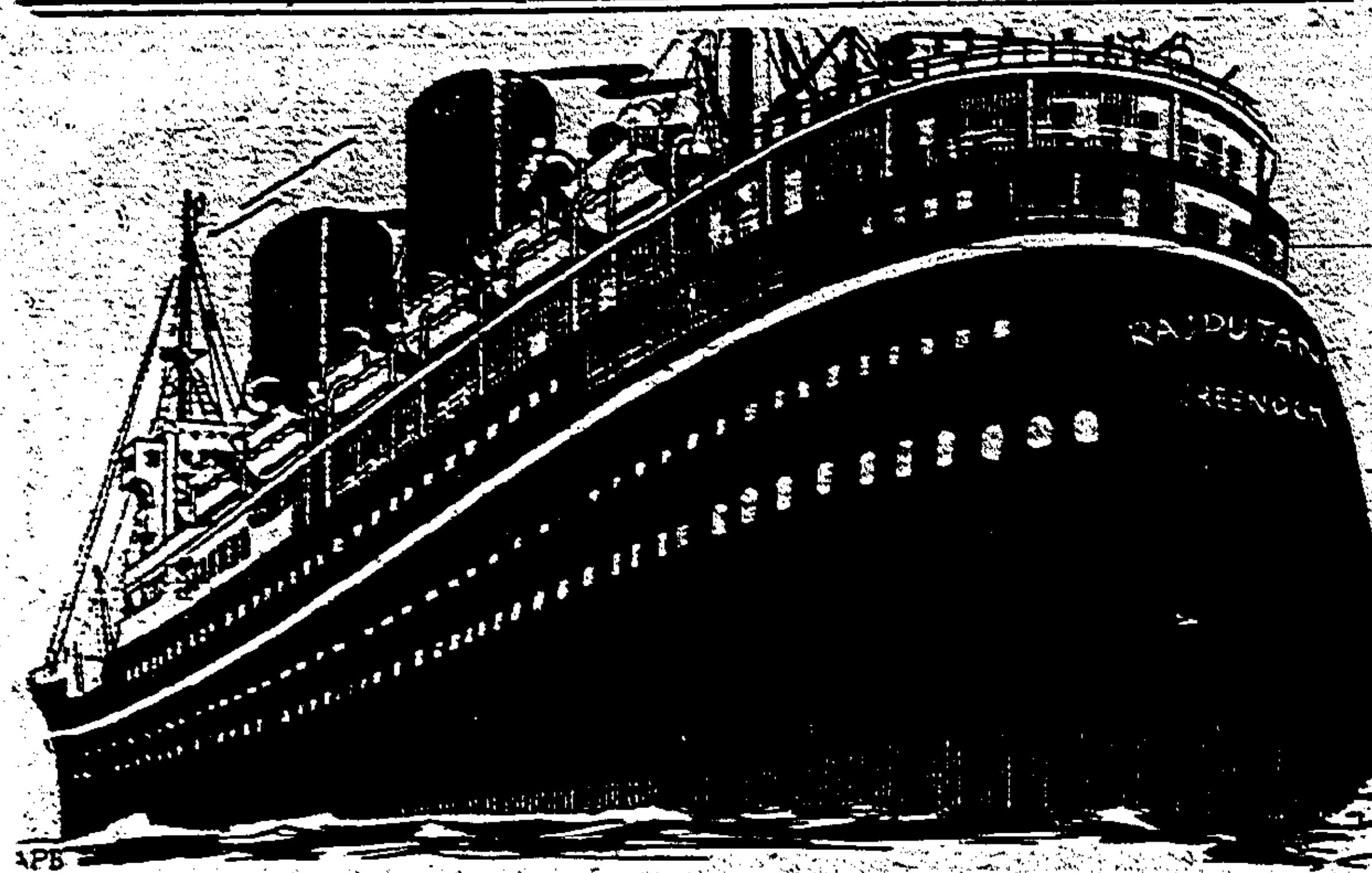


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	Parcels Oct. 5, 4 p.m.	
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		Wednesday
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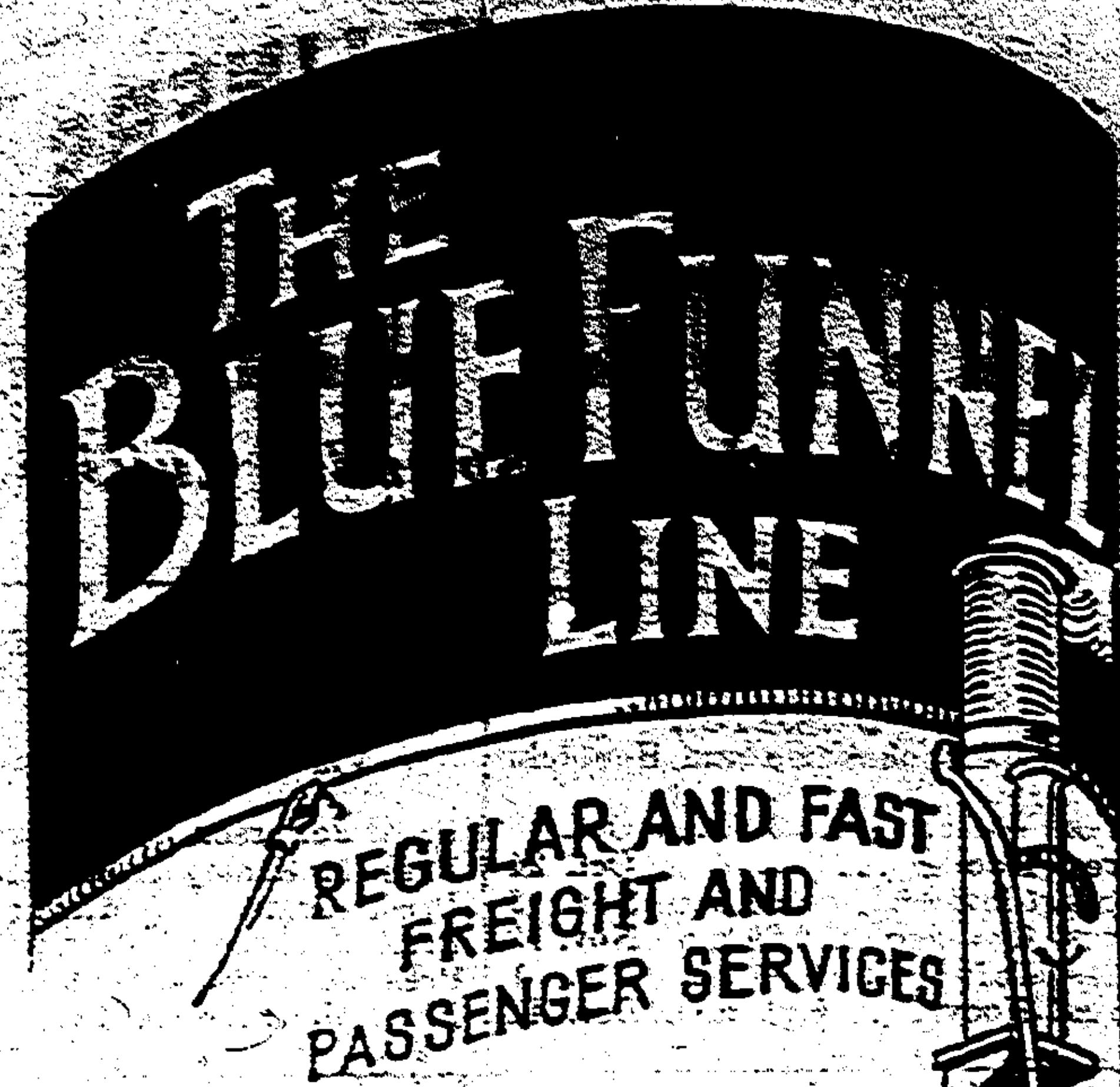
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POLAND ORDERS MOTORSHIP

Berlin, Saturday.
For the first time, Poland has placed a big order with a Danzig shipbuilding yard.

An agreement was signed today for construction by the yard of two motorships, each of 6,500 tons and equipped with Diesel engines.

When completed the vessels will ply between Danzig, Gdynia and Mexico, and will be mainly used for the cotton carrying trade.—Trans-Ocean.

LOCAL SHARE MARKET

Following is the list of changes and enquiries in local share quotations this morning:

BANKS	
Hong Kong Bank	\$1570 b., \$1570 sa.
INSURANCES	
Union Ins.	\$525 b., \$530 sa.
SHIPPING	
H. K. Steamboats	\$10 s.
Indo-Chinas (Pref.)	\$51 b.
Indo-Chinas (Def.)	\$43 b.
DOCKS, WHARVES, GODOWNS, ETC.	
H. K. and W. Docks	26 1/4 sa.
Providents (Old)	\$205 b.
LANDS, HOTELS & BLDGS.	
H. K. Lands	\$30 b.
PUBLIC UTILITIES	
Peak Trams (Old)	\$5 b.
Peak Trams (New)	2 1/2 b.
Star Ferries	\$79 sa.
H. K. Electrics	\$54 b., \$54 1/2 sa.
INDUSTRIALS	
H. K. Ropes	3 3/4 b.
STORES, &C.	
Wm. Powell, Ltd.	40 cts. b.
MISCELLANEOUS	
Vibro Piling	8 1/4 b.
H. K. Govt. 4% Loan	7 1/2% prn. s.
H. K. Govt. 3 1/2% Loan	2 1/2% prn. s.
Wallace Harpers	\$5 s.
Marsmans Inv. (H. K.)	s/- 3/3 b.

LOCAL DOLLAR

The demand rate of the Hong Kong dollar this morning was 1/2%.

"Spot" silver was quoted at 19- 7/8 and "forward" at 19-13/16.

The London on New York cross-rate was quoted at £—U.S.\$4.9558 and the New York on London cross-rate at £—U.S.\$4.957/16.

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TSUI DOMINATES DOUBLES FINAL

S. CHINA "A" RECORD SEASON'S FIRST WIN

FUNG'S BRILLIANT SCHEMING MARQUES INJURED

In a very evenly contested game South China "A" defeated St. Joseph's in their First Division League Football League encounter by the odd goal in seven, at Causeway Bay yesterday, the splendid combination of the Chinese forwards being greatly responsible for their victory.

The Chinese fielded the same team which played on tour with the exception of Lee Wai-tong, but the greatly improved St. Joseph's eleven fully extended them, though the result was a fair indication of the run of the play.

Leung Wing-chiu, in the pivotal position, marked D. Leonard so well that the latter could do nothing of note in the first half. He was the outstanding player in the Chinese defence and his understanding with his inside forwards was very marked.

BRILLIANT SCHEMING

Fung King-cheong led the attack and gave a brilliant display of his clever scheming. In the centre-forward position, he held the constant attentions of Hussain, but held his line well together, feeding both his wingers with well-timed passes, while he always attempted a shot when possible.

Cheong Moon-wing, former Athletic left-winger, did not combine at all well with Cheuk Shek-kam, but his speed kept Delgado on the run and his centres were always dangerous.

MARQUES INJURED

The Saints, though defeated, can be well satisfied with their display. They were somewhat slower than the Chinese on the ball, but their team was well balanced. The unfortunate injury to Marques, early in the first-half, threw the whole team out of its stride, but after the interval they had as much of the play as the Chinese.

The Saints opened the scoring three minutes from the start through Castilho, but 15 minutes later Fung King-cheong equalised. Lai Shui-wing scored soon after.

AGAIN EQUALISED

After the interval, the Saints reshuffled their team, Marques taking the right-wing position, and Costa moving to the centre-forward position with D. Leonard as pivot. This change brought quick success, Costa equalising with a fast grounder.

After the Saints had missed several scoring chances, Cheong Moon-wing netted for the Chinese with Marques unsighted, and a few minutes later the same player again scored.

A few minutes before time, Marques, after cleverly evading Lee Tim-sang, scored a good goal.

The Kowloon Football Club will be greatly strengthened in the forward line in a fortnight's time following the return of Staverley at inside for-



S. CHINA JUNIORS DEFEAT CHINESE SAPPERS

South China defeated the Chinese Engineers by five goals to three in the Second Division of the local League, at Causeway Bay yesterday.

South China were the cleverer side, but the Sappers were unlucky as a number of fine shots just missed the goal.

Lee Mok-lam (2) and Lee Tak-hon scored for the Sappers and Lee Ping-leung, (2), Au Ping-ming (2) and Lau Foo-cheun netted for South China.

SOFTBALL MEETING TO-DAY

All managers or representatives of their respective Clubs are asked to attend a League meeting to be held to-day at 5.30 p.m., at the Cecil Hotel.

As yet only four Clubs have entered although eight, at the first meeting, signified their intention of participating.

It has now been learned that the No. 3, Machine Gun Company of the Volunteer Defence Corps, will also join the League. This team will be under the management of Mr. E. J. Porter, who also managed the baseball nine of the Defence Corps.

Pinto, the Kowloon Indian Tennis Club hockey player, will be playing in the Sunday League of the Portuguese Sporting Association. He is a useful forward but prefers hockey to soccer.

Taylor, the Police footballer, will probably not be playing for some time as he is suffering from athlete's heart.

Steele, the Seaforts' soccer full-back, will be missed from the team this season as he has signed up as a member of the crew of a merchant vessel.

Vale, the Fusilier Second Division right-back, has signed up for the Kowloon Football Club and will be playing for them until he leaves in December.

Dewell, the Engineers' Second Division football captain, will be out of football for another fortnight as the result of an injury received last week against the Chinese Sappers.

Chan Kam-fai, who played reserve goalkeeper for Eastern's senior team last season, has joined the Hong Kong Police and will be seen out with their Second Division team.

R. Marques, former Recreio First Division goalkeeper, has signed up for St. Joseph's, but will not be able to play every week owing to pressure of work.

Brilliant Display Of Aggressive Tennis

HUNG'S OVERHEAD PROMINENT

"H. D." INJURED BUT RUMJAHNS GO DOWN FIGHTING

(By "ADREM")

AS was evident from the large crowd present at the United Services Recreation Club yesterday afternoon, and the interest displayed throughout the bigger matches decided recently, hardcourt tournament tennis has come to stay.

Although a little disappointing in many respects, the doubles final was well worth watching and its result proved of particular significance in that it revealed a new combination who are likely to take the place of that gallant pair they deposed.

TSUI WAI-PIU AND W. C. HUNG BEAT S. A. AND H. D. RUMJAHN 6-2, 6-4, 3-6, 6-3.

And so, once again has Tsui proved his superiority over the Rumjahns. Following the match, when the prizes were distributed by Mrs. N. L. Smith, wife of His Excellency, the O.A.G., there was a touch of pathos in seeing "S. A." and "H. D.", who for so many years have dominated Colony tennis, at last fallen before the claims of youth and appearing in the unaccustomed roles of runners-up.

However, they have had a good innings and I am quite sure they would be the last to begrudge the victors their success.

Tsui and Hung won the first two sets fairly comfortably, the Rumjahns then staged a somewhat belated recovery and with Tsui making a great many errors overhead, won the third for the loss of three games.

The eventual winners then consolidated, rapidly went to a 5-2 lead, and clinched the set in the ninth game after losing three match points in the eighth.

As was to be expected, following his brilliant display on Saturday, the court was entirely dominated by Tsui Wai-pui who once again demonstrated his ability as the Colony's premier exponent of the game. He stood head and shoulders

above all the others and instilled into his opponents such an inferiority complex that it was on occasions pitiful to see them play a difficult stroke to Hung rather than accept an easy "kill" in the general direction of Tsui.

His service is now very nearly up to first-class standard, certainly much too good for anyone in Hong Kong. I don't think he lost or ever looked like losing a service game.

Overhead he was also severe, although he was apt to sacrifice direction for speed. His volleying was crisp, delightfully so, and I was particularly impressed with his uncanny sense of anticipation.

On several occasions, when at the net, he would move

across the entire length of the court, leaving his own side dreadfully exposed, quite confident that a return which could be "killed" would arrive at the same time as himself. And invariably it did!

Hung was not reliable off the ground. It is now an open secret that his forehand is a wing to be attacked but yesterday, in addition, his usually reliable backhand let him down badly.

Where he did score, however, was overhead. Although, perhaps not quite as devastating as his partner, his placing was far better and he rarely failed to score an outright winner when the occasion arose. His volleying was also sound from the forecourt, and he dealt with the Rumjahns' fiercest drives with the utmost ease.

I was rather surprised, in the course of the match, to see what a large part "S. A." was playing in the rallies. It appeared to me that "H. D." was leaving many shots which he ordinarily would have made short work of himself. On inquiries being made afterwards, I ascertained that H. D. was suffering from a boil on his foot which caused him considerable inconvenience.

"S. A." shouldered the extra burden in typical fashion and if he had been slightly more severe in his stroking, the result may conceivably have been a good deal closer. Both players made some apparently impossible returns but were clearly "frightened" of Tsui.

There is little more to be said. The cousins played as well as they were able. That sums up the situation fairly adequately. They went down fighting gallantly but there is little doubt that the winners were far superior and I would venture the opinion that they would win again and on every occasion and so,

The King is dead,

LORD'S SCENE

CHELSEA'S AWAY VICTORY

SHOCKS IN SECOND DIVISION

FIRST CHARLTON DEFEAT

London, Saturday.
The following are the results of to-day's League Football games:

FIRST DIVISION

Arsenal	2	Manchester C.	1
Birmingham	2	Grimsby	2
Blackpool	1	Derby	1
Bolton	6	Leicester	1
Brentford	4	Sunderland	0
Huddersfield	1	Wolves	0
Liverpool	1	Everton	2
Middlesbro'	2	Preston	1
Portsmouth	2	Chelsea	4
Stoke	2	Charlton	0
West Brom.	2	Leeds	1

SECOND DIVISION

Barnsley	2	Burnley	2
Blackburn	4	Southampton	0
Chesterfield	6	Norwich	2
Fulham	1	Bradford	1
Luton	0	Bury	1
Manchester U.	0	Sheffield U.	1
Newcastle	1	Coventry	2
Notts. F.	2	Swansea	3
Plymouth	0	Aston Villa	0
Wednesday	1	West Ham	2
Stockport	3	Tottenham	2

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH)

Aldershot	2	Gillingham	0
Bristol R.	1	Queen's P.R.	1
Cardiff	2	Notts C.	2
Crystal P.	3	Newport	0
Mansfield	2	Southend	2
Millwall	1	Watford	1
Northampton	3	Brighton	1
Reading	0	Bristol C.	1
Swindon	3	Exeter	0
Torquay	3	Clapton	1
Walsall	2	Bournemouth	0

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH)

Barrow	1	Crewe	0
Bradford C.	4	Carlisle	0
Doncaster	2	Chester	1
Hartlepools	2	Darlington	1
Hull	3	Gateshead	1
Lincoln	0	Oldham	1
Rochdale	2	Rotherham	0
Southport	2	Accrington	1
Tranmere	5	N. Brighton	2
Wrexham	0	Port Vale	0
York	1	Halifax	1

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

Ayr	2	Hamilton	3
Celtic	3	Clyde	2
Dundee	1	Kilmarnock	1
Falkirk	1	Queen O.S.	4
Hibernian	4	Morton	3
Motherwell	3	Hearts	3
Partick	3	Queen's Park	2
St. Johnstone	1	Aberdeen	1
St. Mirren	4	Arbroath	1
Third Lanark	1	Rangers	2

SECOND DIVISION

Albion	1	Stenhousemuir	1
Alloa	3	E. Stirling	0
Dumbarton	4	Cowdenbeath	4
Dunfermline	3	Brechin	0
Edinburgh	2	Leith	4
King's Park	4	Dundee	4
Montrose	3	East Fife	0
Raith	3	Forfar	0
St. Bernard's	3	Airdrie	2

—Reuter.

YORKSHIRE GATES £1,625 UP

Yorkshire's success this season is reflected in the financial position of the club. Net gate receipts for matches in Yorkshire amounted to £7,186, an increase of £1,625 on last season. attendances totalled 205,207, compared with 157,364.

MAMAK HOCKEY TOURNEY

General Meeting

There will be a General Meeting at St. Andrew's Church Hall, Top Floor, Nathan Road, Kowloon, on Wednesday, 13th October, 1937, at 6 p.m. sharp. It is most important that at least one representative of each team should attend.

AGENDA

- a. To arrange fixture list for the Season 1937/38.
 - b. Any other business.
- In connection with (a) each team representative is requested to provide himself with such information regarding his own team as will be required, e.g.
- a. Dates and times on which ground is available.
 - b. Dates, if any, on which team is unable to play.

It is also requested that each Club representative will hand to the Hon. Secretary at the General Meeting the names, addresses and telephone numbers of those of his team or Club who are willing to officiate as Umpires during the forthcoming Season, together with some indication of their experience as such.

FOUL PLAY SCARE UNFAIR TO PLAYERS

F.A. WARNING DIRECTED AGAINST SMALL MINORITY

(By "FRANK COLES")

The talk of foul play, and the published statements yesterday that the Football Association have set out on a clean-up campaign in the new season, are misleading and most unfair to the majority of League clubs and players. The facts are these: The Disciplinary Committee of the F.A., having held an investigation into allegations of increased foul play last season, have found that while the number of offences was somewhat higher—there were 54 suspensions and 340 cautions—the responsibility for the increase was confined to a few clubs.

In the First Division one club immediately to inquire into all cases had three suspensions and 11 where three cautions are recorded; none; in the Second Division one had four and 12 none. More than 50 per cent. of the clubs in the four divisions of the League were free from suspensions. Half the cautions in the First and Second Divisions were administered to five clubs in each—one club in the First Division had no fewer than 15 and one in the Second Division nine.

FIVE CLUBS WARNED
Five clubs, all in the North, have been warned by the Disciplinary Committee as to the conduct of their players.

The decision of the committee

BRINGS CRICKET MATCH TO END

RIVAL CAPTAINS IN AN INCIDENT

HOLMES OF SURREY BOWLS WIDES

BID TO FORCE WIN OVER MIDDLESEX

(By "THOMAS MOULT")

TWO England captains and a Test selector were the principal figures in an amazing incident at Lord's yesterday. The match between Middlesex and Surrey was drifting to its close when E. R. T. Holmes, the Surrey captain and a Test selector, placed a fieldsman just in front of the pavilion, and then took the ball himself at the Nursery end.

TO THE SURPRISE OF THE CROWD HE HURLED THREE DELIVERIES IN SUCCESSION HIGH OVER THE HEAD OF R. W. V. ROBINS, THE BATSMAN. AS THE BALL FLEW BEYOND THE WICKET-KEEPER TOWARDS THE BOUNDARY MACMURRAY, THE FIELDSMAN, PLAINLY ACTING UNDER ORDERS, WATCHED IT PASS HIM ON EACH OCCASION FOR FOUR WIDES. HOLMES'S PURPOSE WAS TO GIVE RUNS TO MIDDLESEX SO THAT HIS FAST BOWLERS COULD USE THE NEW BALL.

Altogether 22 were needed and after a fourth delivery, bowled straight, had been hit to a fieldsman near the wicket, the fifth passed for four byes, the fieldsman again making no attempt to save the boundary. The sixth and seventh deliveries were stopped by Robins's bat, and then Holmes bowled another ball high through the air, four wides again being signalled. The ninth ball was allowed to go for further extras.

The Middlesex total had now reached 202, and the crowd, having perceived Holmes's object, were booing and shouting "Play the game!"

Meanwhile Robins and Allen, the batsman at the other crease, had responded to Holmes's action by patting the pitch between the deliveries. Robins's feelings

were indicated by the agitated manner in which he paced up and down near the wicket.

UMPIRE'S ACTION

Everybody now expected that Holmes, with 10 minutes left for play of the extra half-hour that he had previously claimed, would call for the new ball in an attempt to dismiss the three outstanding Middlesex batsmen and force a last-moment victory.

Instead, to the general astonishment, the umpires pulled up the stumps and the players walked off the field.

It transpired that the match was abandoned in consequence of an appeal against the light by G. O. Allen.

UNHAPPY SITUATION

The incident, however, had occurred in bright sunshine. It was apparent that this was only an excuse to bring to an end a situation which was becoming unhappy.

Robins and Holmes returned to the pavilion together. The Surrey captain was gesticulating in his attempt at an explanation. He was obviously within his right, as Robins admitted later, when he said:

"Holmes was perfectly fair and acting within the rules of cricket, but something ought to be done to alter the rules to prevent such bowling."

PRECEDENTS QUOTED

In discussing the incident Holmes quoted precedents for runs being given away by the fielding side in an attempt to gain a victory. At the Oval, in June, Sussex bowled eight wides in order to get the new ball. In July, 1936, at Leeds, A. B. Sellers, the Yorkshire captain, gave away four byes and nine wides against Surrey.

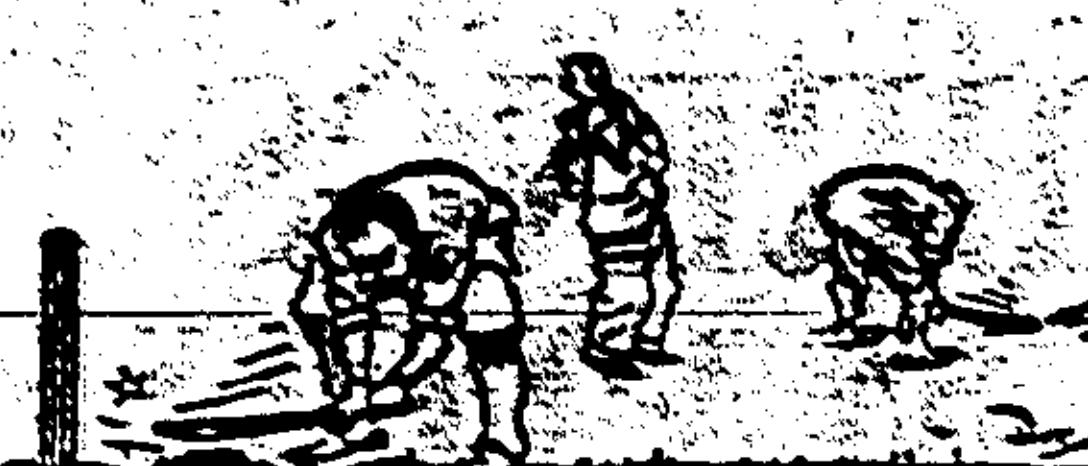
The general impression at Lord's last night was that the unfortunate incident may have a sequel in an official inquiry.

**NEW GOLF ASSISTANTS AT
WENTWORTH**

In succession to H. B. Rhodes, now full professional at South Herts, G. E. Weatherill (Wentworth) has been appointed first assistant to the Wentworth club, and J. R. B. Kean, of Hunstanton, second assistant.

AVERY GETS COUNTY CAP.

A. V. Avery, the 22-years-old Essex batsman, was awarded his county cap. He hit the first hundred of his career against Nottinghamshire at Trent Bridge recently.



**ACCIDENT TO WORCESTER
CRICKETER**

London, August 31.—B. P. King, the young Worcestershire professional, who bats in spectacles, met with a bad accident yesterday at Clacton. In the Worcestershire second innings, a ball from Nichols, the Essex fast bowler, rose abruptly and struck King on the left temple. He received medical attention in the pavilion.

**HAMPSHIRE RELEASE
ARNOLD**

London, August 26.—Hampshire have decided to release Arnold so that he can report to Fulham F. C. for football, and he will not play in the county's last two fixtures, against Northamptonshire and Yorkshire at Bournemouth.



GODDARD BREAKS RECORD

London, August 31.—By taking six Noits wickets in the first innings at Bristol yesterday, Goddard, the Gloucestershire slow bowler, brought his season's aggregate to 227—a record for the county. The previous best was 222 by Parker in 1925.

**MILLWALL SIGN PALACE
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Millwall have signed, on amateur forms, C. E. Croombes, a 21-year-old inside-forward, who played in the Crystal Palace second team last season. He comes from Dagenham.

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BUDGE AND MAKO BEATEN IN U.S. DOUBLES FINAL

VON CRAMM AND HENKEL'S TRIUMPH IN THREE SETS

BRILLIANT DISPLAY BY GERMAN PAIR

(By A. WALLIS MYERS)

"DONALD don't Budge," was one telegraphic message the Wimbledon champion found in his fanmail to-day when he arrived at Longwood to defend the U. S. doubles championship with Mako against the challenge of Von Cramm and Henkel. Every spectator in and around the stadium must have received a similar injunction for, inspite of the broiling sun, none would yield vantage positions taken up hours before play started.

There has never been such a crowded gallery or such eagerness since the halcyon days of Tilden and Johnston. Boston had its first Davis Cup match 37 years ago; here was the first German-American final ever played in America. It was the third meeting of these national pairs this year.

The first had resulted in America winning the doubles championship at Wimbledon, and the second, on the same court, had determined, as it proved, the fate of the Davis Cup. Thousands of American ears had listened to broadcasts of those historic struggles, but few American eyes had seen them in progress. Here were the four protagonists actually on view.

The match ended in a great triumph for Von Cramm and Henkel who gave the Wimbledon champions the surprise of their lives and, by a display of super tennis, won in three sets. The score was 6-4, 7-5, 6-4.

In just over an hour the Americans were mastered but it was an hour of glorious tennis—the Wimbledon doubles final over again except that the Germans, instead of faltering in the third set, rose to the greatest heights in their career.

CHAMPIONSHIP FLOOR

They were, no doubt, inspired by the changed surface. To-day, thanks to the hot sun, the water had entirely drained off the second court in the Stadium, and a new court was groomed and then was used for this final. Nobody wore steel-pointed shoes; there were no loose chips of turf lying on the court to deflect the bound; a championship floor produced championship play.

A break through Mako's service in the fifth game gave the Germans the first set. Henkel's fadeaway service returns, trapping Mako as he came in, were beautifully timed. Von Cramm was not quite as irreproachable as his partner in the opening stage, but he was serving splendidly and two aces took his side out in the tenth game.

Then Budge lost his service at the opening of the second set. The champion appeared a little shaken by a ruthless attack in the first set and his deliveries lacked their Wimbledon steam. Yet play was fast and furious and there were no bad rallies.

VON CRAMM LOSES SERVICE

The Germans gave a hostage to fortune when Von Cramm lost his service in the long fourth game, but they quickly discounted the reverse by breaking through Mako to resume the lead.

In this game Henkel was superb. He picked holes through the American defences by peerless driving and, pressing forward the whole time, made lightning volleying thrusts. The Germans used every shot on the board and, by mixing the slow ball with the fast, they had the Americans puzzled and in the mood to make fatal slips.

But the invaders had not yet won



the second set, and in the tenth game, with Germany leading 5-4. Henkel made his first serious errors. He opened with a double fault and lost this vital game to love, showing, one thought, signs of nervousness. But the young German made noble amends and his service returns again floored Mako in the eleventh game, which the Germans carried from 30.

CANNON-BALLS

Then Von Cramm produced cannon balls and great drive-volleys and Germany was two sets up with the massed stands torn between admiration and dismay.

I expected reaction to come in the third set—the Germans have declined before after-a superlative exhibition—and sure enough the slump came, the Americans winning the first three games in five minutes. But the let-down proved only temporary, and when the Germans attacked again it was with panther-like springs.

BUDGE'S SERVICE CAPTURED

First Von Cramm won his service to love to signal the beginning of the reprisal. Then Budge's service was captured after the Germans had sacrificed a point unluckily by Henkel touching the net after Von Cramm's magnificent intercepting volley had won a glorious rally.

Henkel squared the set gallantly by taking his service to love. Mako, double-faulting, was broken through again, and though the Americans were twice within a point of winning the long eighth game, Von Cramm achieved two glorious smashes for a 5-3 lead.

The Germans could afford to let Budge win his service to love. They had Henkel's service game to yield victory. The stalwart champion of Germany and France did not fail. He forced Mako to net and then served a gorgeous ace to carry the game from 30.

SUSTAINED BRILLIANCE

Old players and young are praising the Germans' display and doubt whether Longwood has ever seen a

display with such extraordinary composure and without any of the verbal explosions that attend many big matches.

It was a classic exhibition, and every American feels that Germany not only deserve this triumph but are the logical challengers for the Davis Cup next year.

As a curtain raises came the final of the women's doubles with three Californians and one Bostonian engaged. Mrs. Van Ryn and Miss Babcock, who had deprived Miss Jacobs and Mrs. Fabyan of the championship last year, were defending the title against Mrs. Fabyan and Miss Marble, a new and singularly colourful combination.

JOCKEY CAP AFFAIR

It was a jockey cap affair, each couple providing its unit with blond curls and its contrast of black; and since these four figures in shorts all travelled at express speed over

PROFITS FROM AUSTRALIA CRICKET TESTS

Melbourne, August 31.—The huge "gates" drawn by the visit of the M.C.C. team last season enabled the Melbourne Cricket Club to make a profit of £2,000. Receipts from the two test matches, and the admission of a large number of new members, sent receipts up from £26,409 to £44,824.

The M.C.C. received more than £4,000 as its share of the record Test gates.

the turf one almost looked for equine mounts.

Miss Marble and Mrs. Fabyan won, 7-5, 6-4. They had nothing to spare and every game was wavering.

Miss Marble was the least reliable of the four, except overhead. One wondered why she always drove straight at two dependable volleys when returning the service instead of using a dipping, oblique shot.

MRS. VAN RYN SHINES

Mrs. Van Ryn was the better of the losers until the end of the second set, when the heat caught her and she came up a foot too short. Otherwise she was sound in generalship and execution. Miss Babcock worked heroically, but none of the four had Mrs. Fabyan's complete faculty for the doubles game.

The British Empire won its solitary title when Robert Watt and his son Laird, who was in England last year, won the father and son national doubles, beating William Clothier and his son 6-4, 7-5.

REE'S HOLES IN ONE

London, August 25.—D. J. Rees had a splendid practice round of 66 yesterday, which included a hole in one, at the fourth, which measures 164 yards. This is Rees's third hole in one, but the first during the last four years. He had previously holed in one at the second and 18th holes on the Aberdare course.

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He was (writes A. Wallis Myers in the "Daily Telegraphy") a pioneer of golf, having established America's first nine-hole course at Franklin Park, Boston.

Mr. Wright first heard of golf when he opened a British sports catalogue and saw pictures of golf clubs and balls. Ordering some of these mysterious implements, he was dismayed to find no instruction book and had to store them on a shelf until a Scot visiting his shop were being decided this week.



made a rough sketch of a layout for a course.

NOW UNIVERSAL

Mr. Wright, with the aid of cricketing friends, then introduced baseball, which is now universal in the States. He also managed the first lawn tennis team from the eastern states to tour the Pacific West.

On returning he said, "If East can go West, West can also go East." From this suggestion sprang the Davis Cup contest, at first a match between America and England and now a world-wide competition.

LOST TO WILDING

Mr. Wright was the father of Beals-Wright, the American singles champion, who reached the singles final at Wimbledon in 1910. After winning the first two sets, Beals Wright lost to Anthony Wilding.

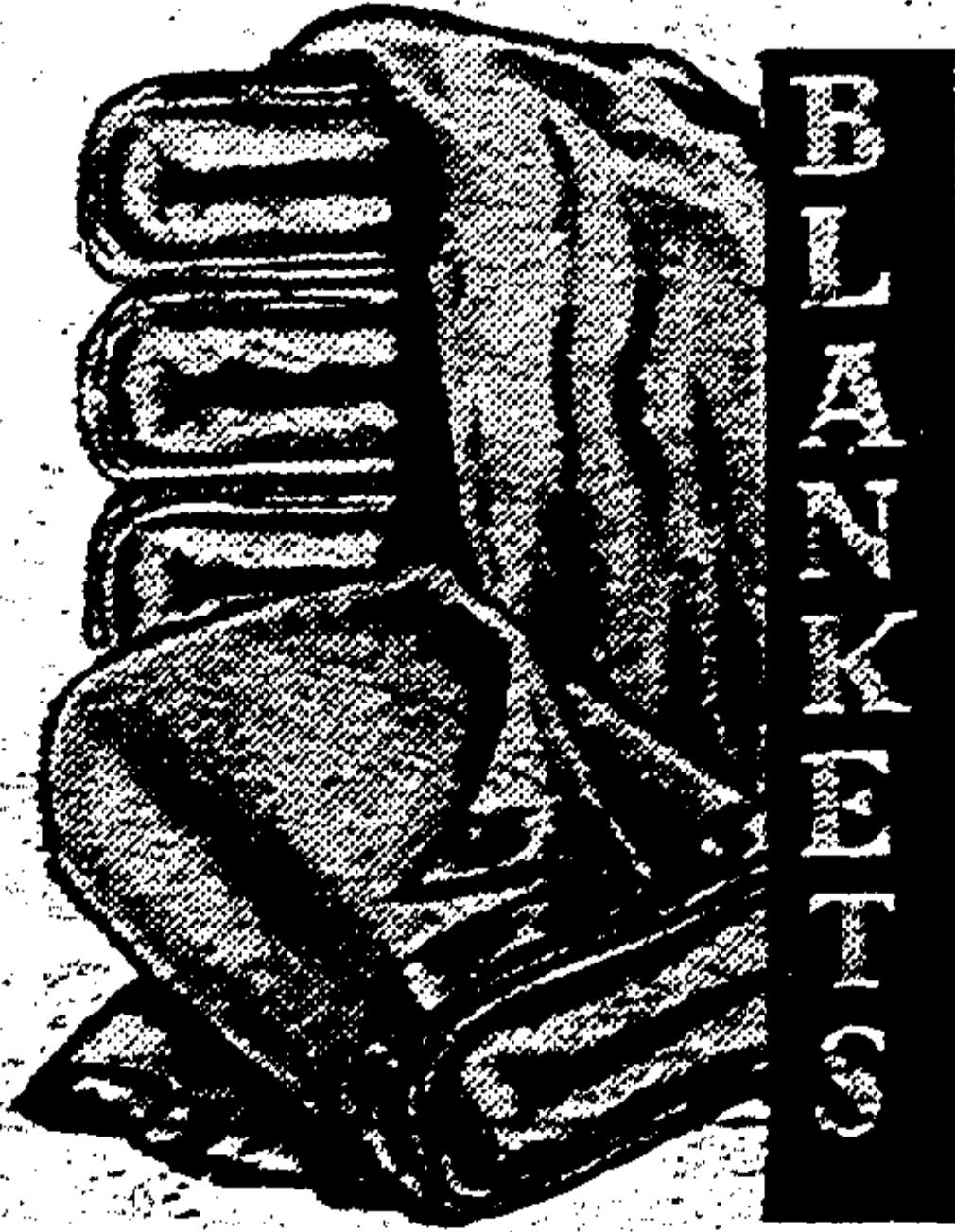
Another son, Irving Wright, is president of the Longwood Cricket Club, Boston, where the first Davis Cup match was played, and where the American doubles championships are being decided this week.

SATURDAY'S FOOTBALL RESULTS AND GOAL-SCORERS

FIRST DIVISION		
KOWLOON	5	Evans, Jorge, Knox, White (2)
MIDDLESEX	4	Pearson (3), Saxe
SOUTH CHINA	1	B
EASTERN	5	Lee Shek-yau.
5th A.A. BDE	3	Lee Tak-kei (4), Kwok Ying-kee.
MIDDLESEX	6	Smith (2), Percival.
ENGINEERS	2	Bond (2), Tate (2), Thomas, Heliadis.
KWONG WAH	6	Jordan, Jones.
5th A.A. BDE	3	Young Poon-hon (4), Bocha, Leung Bing-kam.
24th BATTERY	3	Bloor (2), Seary.
UNIVERSITY	5	Coles (2), Cockings.
AIR FORCE	0	Young Kim-tim (3), Ling Sing-lang, Chan Dang.
THIRD DIVISION (HONG KONG)		
SEAFORTHS	1	Bramley (2), Kitchen.
CHINESE POLICE	2	Parker (4), Taylor (2), Hall, Crosby.
EASTERN	1	Duffield, Fisher-Cooke.
ORDNANCE	2	(KOWLOON)
STANLEY	1	SIGNALS
POWHATTEN	1	Ferguson.
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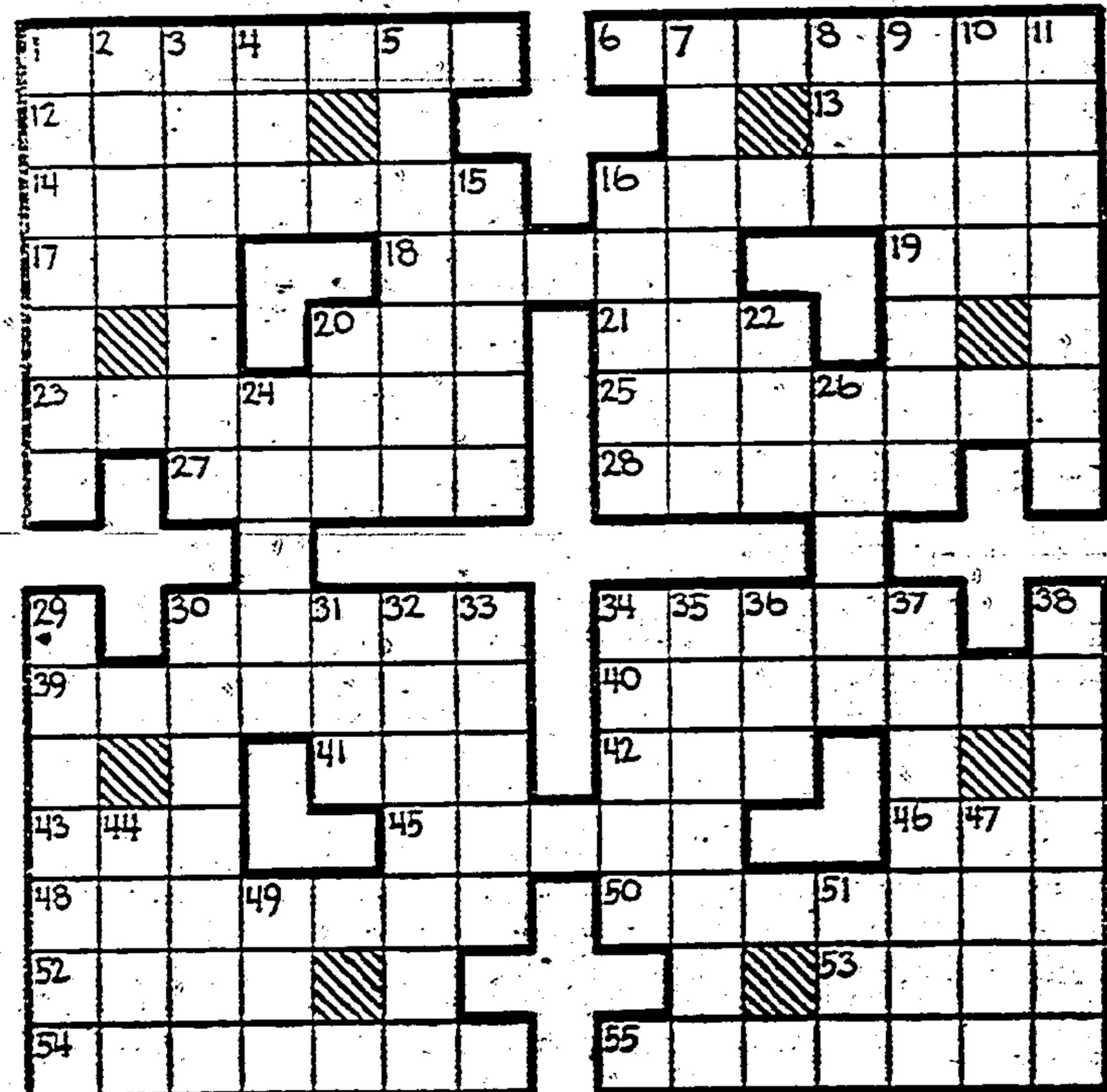
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DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spelling, such as harbor, plow, and altho.



HORIZONTAL

- 1-Causes
- 6-Covered scatteringly
- 12-Relieve
- 13-Identical
- 14-Prescribed rule of conduct
- 16-Trebles
- 17-A serpent
- 18-Singing voice
- 19-Striking part of a power-hammer
- 20-Play on words
- 21-Assist
- 22-Emblem of Neptune
- 25-Devices for removing seeds
- 27-Troubles
- 28-Corners
- 30-Rent
- 34-Satisfied
- 39-Taking notice
- 40-Hastens
- 41-An andiron
- 42-A letter

HORIZONTAL (Cont.)

- 43-Reformed Protestant Episcopal (abbr.)
- 45-Adjust again
- 46-High card
- 48-Directed the course of
- 50-More distant
- 52-Eneas (Fr.)
- 53-Saucy
- 54-Reparation
- 55-Grants to a former owner
- VERTICAL
- 1-Meals
- 2-Organ of hearing
- 3-Exempt from blood poisoning
- 4-A period of time (abbr.)
- 5-God of the sea
- 7-A dog
- 8-Especially (abbr.)
- 9-A round dance (c)

VERTICAL (Cont.)

- 10-Ostrich-like Australian bird
- 11-Detest
- 15-Canvas shelters
- 16-Drink to the health of
- 20-By
- 22-Scotch river
- 24-Ventured
- 25-Put off
- 29-Keefer
- 30-Evened
- 31-Abet
- 32-Noisy sleepers
- 33-Incited
- 34-Very fine
- 35-Severe
- 36-Trustees (abbr.)
- 37-Expanded
- 38-Avers
- 44-Evergreen tree
- 47-Seal with wax
- 48-Over (Contr.)
- 51-Open (Poet.)

The solution of the above with a new cross-word puzzle will appear in to-morrow's issue.

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From the preliminary introductions and instructions by the referee to the two boxers, until the decision is announced, with the resultant booing by the crowd, the film is packed full of thrills.

Not Exaggerated

That press reports of the fight eulogising Farr's display were not exaggerated can not now be doubted. He boxed exceedingly well throughout and it was only Louis' machine-like left which robbed him of a decision, which on the face of it, the winner appeared to well deserve.

Farr was easily the more aggressive of the two men and he was responsible for most of the action that took place. For the most part, the Detroit "Brown Bomber" appeared quite content to fight a rearguard action and wait for his opponent to leave openings which he could turn to account.

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It is believed that more than seven Nanking divisions have arrived here in the last 48 hours and have proceeded north.

Japanese reports received here claim the capture of Tehchow but no confirmation has been received in the Shantung capital.—Our Own Correspondent.

Tientsin, 2 p.m. To-day. Claiming the capture of Tehchow, Japanese military headquarters here state that the Nanking troops which are reported to have been sent north, are apparently concentrating a few miles north-west of Tsinanfu on the south bank of the Yellow River.

No serious hostilities have yet occurred in Shantung Province in the absence of strong Chinese resistance.—Our Own Correspondent.

as far as could be seen throughout the whole of the 15 rounds, not one really decisive blow was struck by

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TYphoon EXPECTED AT ABOUT 8 P.M.

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direction is not quite certain, and it may go either slightly to the north or slightly to the south of Hong Kong.

EIGHT P.M.

The centre is expected to pass over or near Hong Kong at 8 p.m. this estimate being based upon its present rate of speed.

During the night, it changed direction veering north, after travelling on an almost due west track for some considerable distance, and is now pursuing a N.W. or W.N.W. track.

The No. 5 signal was hoisted at 5.24 a.m. to-day.

150 MILES AWAY

The "China Mail" was officially informed by the Royal Observatory that at 9 a.m. to-day, the typhoon was approximately 150 miles E.S.E. of Hong Kong, almost in a direct line between the Colony and the Pratas, moving slowly, W.N.W. or N.W.

At that time it was moving directly towards Hong Kong.

A gale from the North-West is expected this afternoon.

One ship on the edge of the disturbance has reported Force 10 (about 60 miles an hour).

The official position at 6 a.m. was 21 N. 117 E.

The master of the Seistan, which arrived this morning from Swatow, reports very heavy seas just outside Hong Kong.

NOON POSITION

At noon to-day, the typhoon was within 110 miles of the Colony, approximately S.E. and moving N.W.

The position at that hour was within 30 miles of Lat. 21 N. Long. 116 E. moving N.W. The typhoon is threatening the coast in the vicinity of the Colony.

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